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WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted, Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 25 [illegible] more space or longer time.

POULTRY—Wanted one dozen Spring Pullets, Plymouth Rock prefered, must be clean and healthy. Apply stating price to John Coltart, TIMES office. sep12-2t

WANTED—Short hand writer understanding book keeping and general office work, also good salesman; desires situation or work of any kind. Salary not so much of an object as permanent employment. Best of references, security if required. Address J. G. TIMES office. sep12-3t

WANTED—By a Scotch girl, a situation as a nurse. Apply to 86 Johnson street. s113t

WANTED—Employment by a young man lately from England; 3 years office experience. Shorthand. Address W. H. B. P. O. box 719. sep11-3t

WANTED—Everybody to come and buy bargains at Hilbert's Boot and Shoe clearing sale, 74 Yates street. sep10-tf

WANTED—Three first-class Coatmakers Men, steady work. Apply to A. Gregg & Son, Yates street. sep8-1w

WANTED—At once a nurse girl for small family. Apply 3 St. Lawrence street, James Bay. aug12-tf

TO LET.

TO LET—A story and a half house 7 rooms No 81 Discovery St. Apply on the premises between 7 and 8 p. m. or to Brackman and Ker, Government St. sep11-tf

TO LET—Suite of Rooms for light housekeeping to persons of good address. Apply Mrs. M. W. 15 Caledonia Ave. sep9-1w

TO LET—Furnished Apartments, first-class, suitable for housekeeping. Also double bedded room for two gentlemen. 63 Superior street. sep4-tf

TO LET—A furnished front Room on James Bay car line. Apply "A" this office. se2-tf

TO LET—Stores and offices on Douglas street. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

TO RENT—New five roomed Dwelling; bath room, hot and cold water, 3 lots Dallas Road. Apply Monteith & Milligan, 56 Government street. aug12-tf

TO LET—After July 1st, the handsome residence Maplehurst, 152 Blanchard street, unfurnished. Apply C. W. Rhodes. ap18-tf

BOARD.

PERMANENT BOARDERS—A few Permanent Boarders can be accommodated at the Douglas House, corner of Gordon and Courtney streets at winter terms. sep5-1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—2 New Houses, 5 rooms each, Johnson street. Price $3250. This is a good investment. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. a15

FOR SALE—2 lots Stanley Avenue, Fernwood Estate. Price $375 each. Terms easy. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. au15

FOR SALE CHEAP—A Top Buggy; Top new Can be seen at Dempster & Becks' shop, all in good order, price $100. Apply P.O. box 357. se9-1w

FOR SALE—A Half Interest in a well established and good paying business. Apply to X TIMES office. sep6-3t

FOR SALE—VICTORIA WEST—Lots in meadow, rich soil, high, dry and close to tramway in Victoria West proper, $350. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

FOR SALE—ONE LOT—In orchard, splendid fruit trees in full bearing, one minute from tramway; $475. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. aug15

FOR SALE—Cottage, Barn and Garden, Work Estate, price $2000; terms $500 cash, balance in 3 years. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. a15

FOR SALE—10 acres good Land 3½ miles from city; $1,500. Crane, McGregor and Boggs a15

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LOST OR FOUND.

DOG FOUND—A fine liver and white spaniel pup came to the office of Munro Miller, which the owner can have by paying for this advt. sep12-3t

LOST—A Liver colored Irish Retriever Pup; anyone returning to 39 Fort street will be rewarded; anyone holding the same after this date will be prosecuted according to law. s11-3t

REWARD—$25 will be paid for the conviction of anyone removing without authority the sign of the RED CROSS from lands for sale by us or defacing our properties. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, brokers, 30 Broad St. au15

PHYSICIANS.

HOMŒPATHIC REMOVAL.
DR. J. HALL

Will leave his rooms on Pandora street on Monday, December 2nd, for the new brick block corner of Yates and Douglas streets, where he may be consulted at the usual hours, from 1 to 4 p.m., excepting Sundays and holidays. nov27

J. K. GARROW, M. D.

(Lately attending Guy's Hospital, London, and Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh.) Specialties: Diseases of Women and Children and Chronic Diseases. Office and residence, corner of Douglas and Yates streets, over Cochrane & Munn's drug store. Office hours:—9 to 11 a.m., 1 to 3, and 7 to 8:30 p.m. Calls in city or country promptly attended to. nov9-3m

ARCHITECTS.

THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT

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P. H. DONOVAN,
ARCHITECT.

Office, Craft & Norris Block, Douglas street. Plans and specifications furnished on the shortest notice. ap2tf

T. B. NORGATE,
ARCHITECT

and Mechanical Engineer. Drawings for Patent Office. Office, Moody's Block, 76 Yates street, Victoria B. C. m20tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,

Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe20tf

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TO INSURE—Your house at lowest rates call on Crane, McGregor & Boggs, agents Citizens. au15

INSURE—In the Sun, Life and Accident. Crane, McGregor & Boggs. au15

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SOCIETIES.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE, No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular com[illegible] and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy25 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street. Sojourning companions cordially invited. W. J. QUINLAN, jel-1y Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. J. PLUMMER, oct9 K. of R. & S.

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join. J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

SCAVENGERS.

THOMAS LANCASTER,
SCAVENGER.

Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Orders may be left at Demers and Son, Grocers, corner Douglas and Pandora streets; Mr. Fee, corner North Park and Quadra streets; Mr. Nathan, Spring Ridge; Mr. Moffatt, corner Fort and Blanchard streets. aug16-1m

PETER HANSEN
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Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.

Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.

Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. jul8

JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER.

Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. aug22-1y

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MISCELLANEOUS.

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A BANDIT KING

Runs a Newspaper on an Entirely New Plan—An Editor's Terror.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—General Palaviga, Cuba's new governor general, according to the latest advices from Havana, has addressed to all the provincial governors on the island a circular declaring his intention to spare no trouble in stamping out the bandit hordes which infest the mountains. He has already sent a detachment of soldiers 250 strong to protect the railroad line through the territory in which Manuel Garcia, the "king of the Cuban forest," has been conducting raids. On the day that the governor's circular appeared in the Havana newspapers, Garcia nonchalantly entered the city, purchased a copy of La Lucho, visited several cafes, became very much intoxicated and wound up by mounting the balcony of one of Havana's principal hotels and delivered a speech in which he defied the governor, soldiery and police. Fifteen or twenty minutes after he had entered his peroration, two companies of infantry visited the hotel to arrest him, but he had vanished. Next morning he entered the office of the El Diario, a weekly newspaper published at Clabazar. The bandit told the editor that he wanted him to publish a reply to General Palaviga's circular and that he would write it himself. The editor vainly expostulated, declaring that his paper would be confiscated by the government if it became Garcia's mouthpiece.

"The King of Cuban Forests," coolly announced that unless the reply was printed within six hours there would be a disastrous fire at El Diario's office. The editor complied and 400 or 600 single sheets were printed, which the bandit took with him. The editor then covered the form he had been working so that the authorities could not use it as evidence against him and waited until he was sure Garcia was out of Calabazar and then he hurried to the office of the municipal judge and lodged a complaint of malicious mischief against the bandit chief.

The judge promptly issued a warrant for Manuel Garcia's arrest and handed it to an officer to serve. The officer went out and dropped the warrant down a well.

Ice Cream made to order and delivered to all parts of the city. Telephone No. 161, New England Bakery Young Bros., No. 116 and 118 Government street.

KIDNAPPER INDICTED.

[illegible] PLAN FRUSTRATED.

One of the Accomplices Weakens—A True Bill Found Against the Leader—Children of Wealthy People Were to be the Victims—Questionable Loyalty.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12—Giovanni Succi, the Italian faster, arrived from London on a mission to knock out Dr. Tanner's record and his own by fasting forty-five days with him. He has a trunk full of documents to prove that he is the real Succi. These consist of volumes bound in red and black Morroco, with the signatures of 200 physicians, who watched his first fast; the record of the observations of Paris physicians, and scrap books filled with accounts of his accomplishments, in Italian, Spanish, French and English. Succi fasted 30 days in Lisbon, thirty-five in Brussels, and forty in London. He has gold medals from the Paris exposition and the London exposition, with his profile in bos-relief.

The faster is a man of medium size. His flesh is as hard as iron, while he is of an extremely nervous organization. The force that sustains him, he says, is spiritual, and after a few days fasting he can take up foils and vanquish the best fencers. A committee is to be appointed to watch him in his fast.

Getting Into Shape.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—The first combined state effort to have California properly represented at the Columbian exposition in Chicago in 1892, was begun this morning, when Mayor Pond called the World's Fair Convention to order in Metropolitan Hall. Heretofore all movements in the interest of the state have been merely sectional or local, but to-day's convention included representatives from all quarters. Mayor Pond was elected temporary chairman, and made a short address of welcome. Committees of organization were then appointed.

Will Be Kemmlerized.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Judge Lacombe, of the United States Circuit Court, has refused to grant a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Shibquia Jugloa, the Japanese murderer now under sentence of death by electricity.

Poor Baby.

SPOKANE FALLS, Sept. 11.—Edna Hay, infant daughter of Walter Sheldon, was fatally burned this afternoon. The mother had put the child to sleep in the baby carriage and had gone into an adjoining room to sew. After a short time a cry was heard, and the mother, running in, found the baby standing up in the carriage with its clothes all ablaze. The clothes were extinguished and a doctor summoned at once, but the child died in great agony soon after his arrival. It is supposed that the child reached for a box of parlor matches that was on the shelf directly over the buggy and that in pulling them down ignited them.

Suit by a Doctor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—A special to the Herald from Helena, Mont., says that Daniel E. Bandmann, the tragedian, who is in this city, has started suit for three thousand dollars damages against the Northern Pacific railway. His baggage was lost in transit between Missoula and Spokane Falls some time ago and later he missed billing material which had also been sent over that road. The two losses compelled him to miss several performances, hence the suit.

Distasteful Bill.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11.—The tariff is out of the way. Senator Stewart will now make an effort to get up a bill to reimburse the States of California, Oregon and Nevada for money expended by them in raising and equipping troops for the union army during the late war. As the bill appropriates $3,000,000, there is much feeling against a measure of this character. Its chances are not of the best, since the time is so short before adjournment.

A Dead Beat.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—A special to the Sun from Denver, Col., says: "A man travelling under the name of A. D. Potter is going the rounds of the east, representing himself as a conductor on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, with residence at Denver. He says he has been held up, and all his money, passes and jewelry taken from him. After a very pitiful tale he generally succeeds in borrowing, and is never afterwards heard of. He successfully worked a clergyman at Red Falls, N.Y., while other victims have been heard from in that state. Officials of the road declare the man a fraud.

Pious Relic Hunters.

ROME, Sept. 12.—The craze to possess some article which has touched the sacred hands of the representative of St. Peter has grown to such dimensions that now the Pope has been obliged to be more careful in his habits than formerly. After he has dressed himself for the day he locks the door of his private apartments and puts the key in his pocket. In this way he is able to circumvent some of his attendants who have been in the habit of purloining numerous small articles which are in use by His Holiness in his daily routine. These they have sold as relics to English and American tourists, who have gone off delighted with their purchases. In the time of the late Pope Pius IX. the sale of similar effects was noticed and steps taken to put a stop to it, for it was the occasion of great scandal at Vatican.

Questionable Loyalty.

TORONTO, Sept. 12.—When the Industrial Exhibition was opened Wednesday by the Earl of Aberdeen, a handsome United States flag floated on one end of the grand stand. Upon noticing this, Col. Gray, who is of the Canadian military, ordered the flag to be taken down. This was done amid a good deal of cheering by those who noticed the act. As soon, however, as Manager Hill of the exhibition heard the occurrence, he ordered the flag to be hoisted. This morning Col. Gray appeared upon the grounds, boiling with rage, and ordered the flag of an alien people to be torn from the staff. Manager Hill refused to do so, claiming to be as loyal as the colonel, and beside, he said, it [illegible] American people, who every year visited the exhibition in large numbers. The question will come before the board of directors to-morrow for decision.

Strike Matters.

SOUTHAMPTON, Sept. 11.—The situation to day is quieter. The police have given notice they will prohibit all processions by the strikers. The leaders of the strike have promised on the part of the men to abstain from any further demonstrations.

The mail steamer La Plata sails to day, having engaged a fresh crew.

Tried to Kill the Bishop.

CONSTANTINOALE, Sept. 12.—As the Armenian Bishop Tadjad Oscancen was leaving church yesterday, a young Armenian approached him and uttering the cry "traitor" tried to kill him with a knife, but only succeeded in wounding him in the arm. The attack is supposed to have been prompted by a desire for revenge for evidence given by the bishop against prisoners charged with having been implicated in the recent demonstration against Armenian patriarchs.

New Labor Paper.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The latest venture in London journalism is the Labor World which is on the point of appearing, with Michael Davitt as editor. Davitt's plan will be the advocacy of the rights of labor, a more just distribution of the products of industry and a healthier condition of employment in mills, mines and workshops, and less hours of labor. "My paper," he said, "will strongly advocate labor organization and such a course on the part of industrial classes as will enable men from their ranks to represent them in public bodies. It goes on without saying that the Labor World will be a thorough home rule organ.

A Modern Joan of Arc.

LONDON, Sept. 11.—The revelations of the Paris Figaro show that the Duchess d'Uzes gave $600,000 to the Boulangist cause, but did not mix herself in the petty intrigues of the party. In an interview she affirms all that Mormieu has said concerning her part in the affair, and adds that she arranged an interview with the Count of Paris at General Boulanger's request. Ostensibly it was an accidental meeting between the Count of Paris and Boulanger at his hotel. The Duchess d'Uzes speaks somewhat of Boulanger's lack of courage.

The Paris correspondent of the London Times says that everyone mentioned in the revelations suffers more or less in honor, excepting the Duchess d'Uzes, who, without hope of receiving any return, appeared to desire to play the role of a modern Joan of Arc.

KIDNAPPING CHILDREN.

A Well Laid Plan to Raise Money Which Did Not Work.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 11.—A plan which contemplated a wholesale kidnapping of children for ransom was revealed to-day, when the grand jury found a true bill for that offence against Henry C. Wilson, who keeps a livery stable. The plan was to kidnap the children of wealthy parents, conduct them to some secret place in some distant state and keep them until their ransom should be paid. Wilson took for an accomplice the coachman of Mrs. Job Dunlop, a wealthy widow living on McGee street. Mrs. Dunlop's three year old boy was to have been the first victim and then the four year old boy of James H. Arnold was to have been kidnapped. After these two had been ransomed, others were to have been kidnapped. The plan was all laid out to kidnap the Dunlop boy when the coachman weakened and confessed his part in the contemptible scheme to Mrs. Dunlop, who informed the police, and when Wilson went to the vicinity of Mrs. Dunlop's residence last Saturday to carry out the first part of the plan an officer placed him under arrest and today the grand jury indicted him.

SPORTING NOTES.

Brief Resume of Sporting Matters Here and There.

The Nanaimo baseball club will come down to-morrow and play the James Bay club in the Caledonian grounds on Saturday afternoon. Fred. Jackson, the pitcher for the Bays, has recovered from his recent sprained arm and will be in the box as usual. A good game may be looked for as both clubs have been practising hard and each is confident of winning.

LACROSSE.

It is rumored that Vancouver has sent to Winnipeg for two good lacrosse players, so that they will be able to keep up to Westminster, who got a couple of men from Ottawa a few days ago. Victoria doesn't import men but she holds an enviable position in the world of sports just the same.

GLOVE CONTEST.

The glove contest between Dan O'Donnell, of San Francisco, and Billy Waters, of Victoria, for $150 aside and gate receipts, comes off on Monday evening, at the Philharmonic Hall, commencing at 8:30, and it is a safe thing to say that it will be strictly on its merits, and the faking element for once done away with. The public are guaranteed a good exhibition between local and other talent.

"A Lie From Beginning to End."

Mr. Joseph Pope, Sir John Macdonald's private secretary, has wired the press regarding a dispatch alleged to emanate from Wheeling, W. Va., that Sir John Macdonald, Sir Charles Tupper, Sir Hector Langevin, Sir Alexander Maclean and other Canadian, English and Scotch capitalists have purchased four hundred thousand acres of land in Mercer, Boone and Wyoming counties, W. Va., as follows: "It is a lie from beginning to end."

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar.

THE GOOD TEMPLARS.

[illegible] M'GILLIVRAY.

The Work of the Year and the Condition of the Order Reviewed—Literature and Insurance—The Dominion Alliance—Political Action, Etc.

The following is the full text of the annual "message" of Grand Chief Templar McGillivray, read at the session of the Grand Lodge in session at Nanaimo this week.

To the Grand Lodge of British Columbia I. O. G. T.:

DEAR SISTERS AND BROTHERS,—We meet again in Grand Lodge for the fifth annual gathering to review our labors for the past year and to devise the best means and plan of work for the future.

We claim considerable prosperity for the past year, principally as a result of the Grand Lodge lecturer, Mrs. Lila A. Moore. She commenced her work in Victoria about the middle of November, lecturing all over the Province, encouraging and stimulating the Lodges that were in existence and organizing localities where there were none, enabling us to report an increase for the year of ten Lodges. Our lecturer came to us at an unfavorable season of theyear on account of the unusual severity of the winter. However, Mrs. Moore was equal to the occasion. By her energy and zeal for the cause of prohibition, she was able to reach all her appointments, excepting Nicola Lake, which we regretted very much, it being considered too cold to venture the trip from Kamloops. The total number of lodges and membership will be given in detail by the Grand Secretary in his report. And it will be for you to consider the advisability of engaging a lecturer for the coming year.

Brother S. Gough, grand secretary, was commissioned to organize a naval lodge at Esquimalt, and Brother Chas. Keith, of Dominion lodge, to re-organize Excelsior lodge, and your humble servant just recently organized Maple Leaf lodge at Sumas and No Retreat at Chilliwhack in the winter.

DOMINION ALLIANCE.

For the last two years the Executive of the Dominion Alliance have invited us to send representatives to their annual meetings which is composed of representatives from the various Temperance organizations and Christian churches of the Dominion. On account of the expense your Executive did not deem it advisable to send any delegates. And it is for this body to say whether it is advisable to make the provisions about sending delegates. We ought to have a standing committee to visit at the annual gathering of all other Temperance organizations in the Province to convey to them our fraternal greetings, etc., for Good Templarism is an ally of all Temperance bodies.

LITERATURE.

The last two sessions of this Grand Lodge ordered that the Good Templar of Canada should be the official organ of this jurisdiction; notwithstanding all this very little interest was manifested by our members becoming subscribers to this paper, so we concluded at the expense of this Grand Lodge to subscribe for one copy for each Lodge, and that the Lodge Deputy or some other member that the Lodge might select, should act as agent, soliciting subscriptions, hoping that this step might produce a good result. And we also firmly believe that much good would result by distributing thorough sound temperance literature amongst the people.

GOOD TEMPLAR INSURANCE.

At present there are three Good Templar Benefit Associations on the continent, and for some time negotiations have been pending with a view of consolidating them into one, and it is generally expected that the movement will succeed. We are firmly of the opinion that it would very materially benefit our noble Order in British Columbia if this Grand Lodge would immediately recommend our Lodges to some one of these Associations with a view of securing the benefits to be derived to our members—papers and correspondence relating to this matter will be laid before you.

JUVENILE TEMPLES.

Under the management of our efficient G.S.J.T. several new Temples have been organized during the year, but I fear that we have not been devoting that attention to this department of our Order that its importance demands, and I trust that the body may be able to discover some method that would give more interest generally.

BY-LAWS.

It will be for you to consider the advisability of amending our by-laws, more especially Article Three, as the basis of representation to this Grand Lodge appears to be too liberal.

APPEALS.

It has been a great source of relief and satisfaction to me, not having to sit in judgment on any appeal, for there has not been any. Harmony and good will has reigned supreme within our borders.

POLITICAL ACTION.

You will remember that our petitions to the last House of Assembly for this Province, asking for amendments to the License Laws and Sabbath observance, met with but little favor, owing to the fact that a large majority of the members were not in sympathy with temperance.

It will now be in order for us to try the New House recently elected, to find what it is made out of.

G. C. T. OFFICE.

The labors of this office have increased very much this last year. During Mrs. Moore's lecture campaign the necessary correspondence occupied a great deal of my time, although it gave me much pleasure. I mailed during the year 318 letters.

I am deeply conscious of my own inefficiency in carrying out the various duties. I regret very much that I did not visit our lodges more but the prin[illegible] serious doubts in my own mind whether the necessary travelling expense would justify me in doing so. I have endeavored to do my duty to the best of my strength and ability. I have to thank the members of the Executive for their assistance and courtesy.

The future opens out to us with opportunities and responsibilities; friends what shall we do? As we are assembled here let every thought and desire be made subordinate to the best interests of the cause in which we are engaged. Let us try and make Good Templarism more that ever it has been in this land, in creating a sentiment that will reach every home. We have a good deal to be thankful for, and may God's richest blessing rest and abide with us during the deliberations of this session.

I now return to you the sacred charge you committed to my care, thanking you very much for the honor, I am, yours for prohibition,

D. MCGILLIVRAY.
Sumas, B.C., Sept. 10th.

A GOOD CHANCE,

An Opportunity to See Banff at Very Little Expense.

The Canadian Pacific railway company offer special car excursions from Victoria to Banff and return, to parties of twenty or over. The fare for the round trip will be $30, which includes a sleeping car for the party from Vancouver to Banff and back again. A party taking advantage of this offer will have a pullman placed at its exclusive disposal, and have the privilege of stopping over at any station, and should they wish it the car will be run on to Calgary to give a view of the eastern approach to the Rockies. Arrangements have been made with the manager of the Banff hotel, whereby fishing, hunting and excursion parties will be given for the enjoyment of the visitors. Further particulars can be procured from Mr. Allan Cameron, agent of the C. P. R. Co. in Victoria.

Victorians who may be contemplating a holiday cannot do better than take in this trip. All it wants is some one to take the lead and organize a party, which can be made up to suit the wishes of the majority. The Canadian Pacific railway company will do the rest. The route is through the grandest scenery in America, and in this glorious autumnal weather, the tourist who does not enjoy him or herself, will probably be found to be possessed of an evil spirit which nothing in this world or the next will be able to exercise.

NAUTICAL NOTES.

Items of Interest Along the Water Front—General Marine News.

Spratt's Ark is still discharging stone at Spratt's wharf.

The sealer Mary Taylor is under repairs at the Star yard.

The Kingston did not arrive until 7 o'clock last evening, having been detained by a heavy freight.

The Yosemite has finished discharging salmon into the Wanlock and will go to Westminster for another load.

A company has just been organized at Vancouver to rebuild and repair the steamer Richmond, which burned to the water's edge on False Creek some two years ago. The hull was pretty badly damaged. When rebuilt the Richmond will be put on the North Arm and Fraser river route.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Items of Interest Received by Telegraph from Different Points.

Six of the tenant farmers' delegates who are just now on a visit to Canada, arrived in Toronto on the 11th and visited the Industrial Exhibition.

Lord Stanley arrived at Sarnia on Wednesday afternoon as the guest of Sir Henry Tyler and Sir Joseph Hickson, with the purpose of visiting the St. Clair tunnel. He was met by Sir Henry Tyler and other prominent officials of the Grand Trunk.

Duncan Ferguson, aged 78, of Adamson, Ont., was drowned yesterday by the upsetting of his boat.

Yesterday was the hottest day of the year at New Brunswick. At 11 a. m. the mercury stood at 92. At noon many manufacturing firms shut down, the men not being able to stand the heat. The mercury ranged from 90 to 1000.

Mrs. Crosier, a highly respectable lady of Digby, N. S., was accidentally poisoned Thursday night through a mistake of the druggist in filling a doctor's prescription with fifteen grains of strychnine, instead of some simple remedy. The woman died in great agony a few minutes after taking the fatal dose. The coroner's jury exonerated the clerk, but censured the proprietor for not keeping poisonous drugs in a separate place.

From a Quebec source it is learned that Cardinal Taschereau refused to attend the Governor-General's banquet unless he was placed next to Prince George. It is said Lord Salisbury was about to yield when Admiral Watson and General Ross protested and declined to attend if the Cardinal was placed before them.

The charge of criminal libel made by Attorney-General Martin against Mr. Luxton of the Winnipeg Free Press, was dismissed by the court at a preliminary hearing yesterday. Mr. Luxton was his own lawyer.

A few days ago Col. Totton of the Acadian mines, Halifax, had two women and a man arrested for illegal liquor selling. The parties swore vengeance, and last night they broke into the iron works and stole a quantity of dynamite and exploded it under Totten's house, almost demolishing it. The dynamite was put under the kitchen, where the dynamiters supposed the family to be, but, fortunately, they were in the front room and escaped serious injuries. Col. Totten was away at the time. No trace of the dynamiters has yet been found.

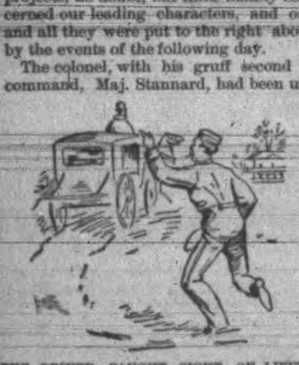
THE DESERTER

BY CAPT. CHARLES KING, U. S. A.

Author of "Dunraven Ranch," "The Colonel's Daughter," "Marion's Faith," Etc., Etc.

"The best laid schemes o' mice and men gang aft a-gley." Mrs. Rayner, ill in mind and body, had yielded to her lord's entreaties and determined to start eastward with her sister without delay. Packing was already begun. Miss Travers had promised herself that she would within thirty-six hours put Mr. Hayne in possession of certain facts or theories which in her opinion bore strongly upon the "clearing up" of the case against him; Mr. Hayne had determined that he would see Maj. Waldron on the coming day and begin active efforts the restoration of his social rights; the doctor had about decided on a new project for inducing Clancy to unbosom himself of what he knew; Capt. Rayner, tired of the long struggle, was almost ready to welcome anything which should establish his subaltern's innocence, and was on the point of asking for six months' leave just as soon as he had arranged for Clancy's final discharge from service; he had reasons for staying at the post until that Hibernian household was fairly and squarely removed; and Mrs. Clancy's plan was to take Mike to the distant east, "where she had frinds." There were other schemes and projects, no doubt, but these mainly concerned our leading characters, and one and all they were put to the right about by the events of the following day.

The colonel, with his gruff second in command, Maj. Stannard, had been under orders for several days to proceed on this particular date to a large town a day's journey eastward by rail. A court martial composed mainly of field officers was ordered there to assemble for the trial of an old captain of cavalry whose propensity it was not so much to get drunk as never to get drunk without concomitant publicity and discovery. It was a rare thing for the old war dog to take so much as a glass of wine; he went for months without it; but the instant he began to drink he was moved to do or say something disreputable, and that was the trouble now. He was an unlucky old trooper, who had risen from the lowest grades, fought with credit, and even, at times, commanded his regiment during the war; but war records could not save him when he wouldn't save himself, and he had to go. The court was ordered, and the result was a foregone conclusion. The colonel, his adjutant and Maj. Stannard were to drive to town during the afternoon and take the east bound train, leaving Maj. Waldron in command of the post; but before guard mounting a telegram was received, which was sent from department headquarters the evening before, announcing that one of the officers detailed for the court was seriously ill and directing Maj. Waldron to take his place. So it resulted in the post being left to the command of the senior captain present for duty, and that man was Capt. Buxton. He had never had so big a command before in all his life.



THE DRIVER CAUGHT SIGHT OF LIEUT. HAYNE WAVING HIS HAND.

Maj. Waldron of course had to go home and make his preparations. Mr. Hayne, therefore, had brief opportunity to speak with him. It was seen, however, that they had a short walk together on the major's piazza, and that when they parted the major shook him warmly and cordially by the hand. Rayner, Buxton, Ross and some juniors happened to be coming down along the walk at the moment, and, seeing them, as though with pointed meaning the major called out, so that all could hear:

"By the way, Hayne, I wish you would drop in occasionally while I'm gone and take Mrs. Waldron out for a walk or drive; my horses are always at your service. And—a—I'll write to you about that matter the moment I've had a chance to talk with the colonel—to-morrow, probably." And Hayne touched his cap in parting salute, and went blithely off with brightened eye and rising color.

Buxton glowered after him a moment, and conversation suddenly ceased in their party. Finally he blurted out:

"Strikes me your major might do a good deal better by himself and his regiment, by standing up for its morale and discipline, than by openly flaunting his favoritism for convicts in our faces. If I were in your regiment I'd cut him."

"You wouldn't have to," muttered one of the group to his neighbor; "the cut would have been on the other side long ago." And the speaker was Buxton's own subaltern.

Rayner said nothing. His eyes were troubled and anxious, and he looked after Hayne with an expression far more wearied than vindictive.

"The major is fond of music, captain," said Mr. Ross, with mischievous intent. "He hasn't been to the club since the night you sang 'Eileen Alanna.' That was about the time Hayne's piano came."

"Yes," put in Foster. "Mrs. Waldron says he goes and owls Hayne now night after night just to hear him play."

"It would be well for him, then, if he kept a better guard on Mr. Hayne's other visitors," said Buxton, with a black scowl. "I don't know how you gentlemen in the Riflers look upon such matters, but in the —th the man who dared to introduce a woman of the town into his quarters would be kicked out in short order."

"You don't mean to say that anybody accuses Hayne of that, do you?" asked Ross, in amaze.

"I do—just that. Only, I say this to you, it has but just come to light, and only one or two know it. To prove it positively he's got to be allowed more rope for he got her out of the way last time before we could clinch the matter. If [illegible] it; if kept to ourselves he will probably try it again—and be caught. Now I charge you all to regard this as confidential."

"But, Capt. Buxton," said Ross, "this is so serious a matter that I don't like to believe it. Who can prove such a story?"

"Of course not, Mr. Ross. You are quite ready to treat a man as a thief, but can't believe he'll do any other that is disreputable. That is characteristic of your style of reasoning;" said Buxton, with biting sarcasm.

"You can't wither me with contempt, Capt. Buxton. I have a right to my opinion, and I have known Mr. Hayne for years, and if I did believe him guilty of one crime five years ago I'm not so ready to believe him guilty of another now. This isn't—isn't like Hayne."

"No, of course not, as I said before. Now, will you tell me, Mr. Ross, just why Mr. Hayne chose that ramshackle old shanty out there on the prairie, all by himself, unless it was to be where he could have his chosen companions with him at night, and no one be the wiser?"

"I don't pretend to fathom his motives, sir; but I don't believe it was for any such purpose as you seem to think."

"In other words, you think I'm circulating baseless scandal, do you?"

"I have said nothing of the kind; and I protest against your putting words into my mouth I never used."

"You intimated as much, anyhow, and you plainly don't believe it."

"Well, I don't believe—that is, I don't see how it could happen."

"Couldn't the woman drive out from town after dark, send the carriage back, and have it call for her again in the morning?" asked Buxton.

"Possibly. Still, it isn't a proved fact that a woman spent the night at Hayne's, even if a carriage was seen coming out. You've got hold of some Sudsville gossip, probably," replied Ross.

"I have, have I? By gad, sir, I'll teach you better manners before we get through with this question. Do you know who saw the carriage, and who saw the woman, both at Hayne's quarters?"

"Certainly I don't! What I don't understand is how you should have been made the recipient of the story."

"Mr. Ross, just govern your tongue, sir, and remember you are speaking to your superior officer, and don't venture to treat my statement with disrespect hereafter. I saw it myself!

"You!" gulped Ross, while amaze and incredulity shot across his startled face.

"You!" exclaimed others of the group, in evident astonishment and dismay. Rayner alone looked unchanged. It was no news to him, while to every other man in the party it was a shock. Up to that instant the prevailing belief had been with Ross that Buxton had found some garrison gossip and was building an edifice thereon. His positive statement, however, was too much for the most incredulous.

"Now what have you to say?" he asked, in rude triumph.

There was no answer for a moment; then Ross spoke:

"Of course, Capt. Buxton, I withdraw any expression of doubt. It never occurred to me that you could have seen it. May I ask when and how?"

"The last time I was officer of the day, sir; and Capt. Rayner is my witness as to the time. Others, whom I need not mention, saw it with me. There is no mistake, sir. The woman was there." And Buxton stood enjoying the effect.

Ross looked white and dazed. He turned slowly away, hesitated, looked back, then exclaimed:

"You are sure it was—it was not some one that had a right to be there?"

"How could it be?" said Buxton, gruffly. "You know he has not an acquaintance in town, or here, who could be with him there at night."

"Does the commanding officer know of it?" asked Mr. Royce, after a moment's silence.

"I am the commanding officer, Mr. Royce," said Buxton, with majestic dignity—"at least I will be after 12 o'clock; and you may depend upon it, gentlemen, this thing will not occur while I am in command without its receiving the exact treatment it deserves. Remember, now; not a word of this to anybody. You are as much interested as I am in bringing to justice, a man who will disgrace his uniform and his regiment, and insult every lady in the garrison by such an act. This sort of thing of course will run him out of the service for good and all. We simply have to be sure of our ground and make the evidence conclusive. Leave that to me the next time it happens. I repeat, say nothing of this to any one."

But Rayner had already told his wife.

Just as Maj. Waldron was driving off to the station that bright April afternoon, and his carriage was whirling through the east gate, the driver caught sight of Lieut. Hayne running up Prairie avenue, waving his hand and shouting to him. He reigned in his spirited bays with some difficulty, and Hayne finally caught up with them.

"What is it, Hayne?" asked Waldron, with kindly interest, leaning out of his carriage.

"They will be back to-night, sir. Here is a telegram that has just reached me."

"I can't tell how sorry I am not to be here to welcome them; but Mrs. Waldron will be delighted, and she will come to call the moment you let her know. Keep them till I get back, if you possibly can."

"Ay, ay, sir. Good-by."

"Good-by, Hayne. God bless you, and good luck!"

A little later that afternoon Mrs. Rayner had occasion to go into her sister's room. It was almost sunset, and Nellie had been summoned downstairs to see visitors. Both the ladies were busy with their packing, Mrs. Rayner, as became an invalid, superintending, and Miss Travers, as became the junior, doing all the work. It was rather trying to pack all the trunks and receive visitors of both sexes at odd hours. Some of her garrison acquaintances would have been glad to come and help, but those whom she would have welcomed were not agreeable to the lady of the house, and [illegible] the lady of the house would have chosen were not agreeable to her. The relations between the sisters were somewhat strained and unnatural, and had been growing more and more so for several days past. Mrs. Rayner's desk was already packed away. She wanted to send a note, and bethought her of her sister's portfolio.

Opening it she drew out some paper and envelopes, and with the latter came an envelope sealed and directed. One glance at its superscription sent the blood to her cheek and fire to her eyes. Was it possible? Was it creditable? Her pet, her baby sister, her pride and delight—until she found her stronger in will—her proud spirited, truthful Nell was beyond question corresponding with Lieut. Hayne! Here was a note addressed to him. How many more might not have been exchanged! Ruthlessly now she explored the desk, searching for something from him, but her scrutiny was vain. Oh, what could she say, what could she do to convey to her erring sister an adequate sense of the extent of her displeasure? How could she bring her to realize the shame, the guilt, the scandal of her course! She, Nellie Travers, the betrothed wife of Steven Van Antwerp, corresponding secretly with this—this scoundrel, whose past, crime laden as it had been, was as nothing compared to the present with its degradation of vice! Ah! she had it! What would ever move her as that could and must?

When the trumpets rang out their sunset call and the boom of the evening gun shook the windows in Fort Warrener and Nellie Travers came running upstairs again to her room, she started at the sight that met her eyes. There stood Mrs. Rayner, like Juno in wrath inflexible, glaring at her from the commanding height of which she was so proud, and pointing in speechless indignation at the little note that lay upon the open portfolio.

"For a moment neither spoke. Then Miss Travers, who had turned very white, but whose blue eyes never flinched and whose lips were set and whose little foot was tapping the carpet ominously, thus began:

"Kate, I do not recognize your right to overhaul my desk or supervise my correspondence."

"Understand this first, Cornelia," said Mrs. Rayner, who hated the baptismal name as much as did her sister, and used it only when she desired to be especially and desperately impressive: "I found it by accident. I never dreamed of such a possibility as this. I never dreamed of such a possibility as this. I never, even after what I have seen and heard, could have believed you guilty of this; but, now that I have found it, I have the right to ask, what are its contents?"

"I decline to tell you."

"Do you deny my right to inquire?"

"I will not discuss that question now. The other is far graver. I will not tell you, Kate, except this: there is no word there that an engaged girl should not write."

"Of that I mean to satisfy myself, of rather"—

"You will not open it, Kate. No! Put that letter down! You have never known me to prevaricate in the faintest degree, and you have no excuse for doubting. I will furnish a copy of that for Mr. Van Antwerp at any time; but you cannot see it."

"You still persist in your wicked and unnatural intimacy with that man, even after all that I have told you. Now for the last time hear me; I have striven not to tell you this: I have striven not to sully your thoughts by such a revelation; but, since nothing else will check you, tell it I must, and what I tell you my husband told me in sacred confidence, though soon enough it will be a scandal to the whole garrison."

And when darkness settled down on Fort Warrener that starlit April evening, and the first warm breeze from the south came sighing about the casements, and one by one the lights appeared along officers' row, there was no light in Nellie Travers' window. The little note lay in ashes on the hearth, and she, with burning, shame stricken cheeks, with a black, scorching gnawing pain at her heart was hiding her face in her pillow.

And yet it was a jolly evening after all—that is, for some hours and for some people. As Mrs. Rayner and her sister were so soon to go, probably by the morrow's train if their section could be secured, the garrison had decided to have an informal dance as a suitable farewell. Their announcement of impending departure had come so suddenly and unexpectedly that there was no time to prepare anything elaborate, such as a german with favors, etc.; but good music and an extemporized supper could be had without trouble. The colonel's wife and most of the cavalry ladies, on consultation, had decided that it was the very thing to do, and the young officers took hold with a will; they were always ready for a dance.

Now that Mrs. Rayner was really going, the quarrel should be ignored, and the ladies would all be as pleasant to her as though nothing had happened, provided, of course, she dropped her absurd airs of injured womanhood and behaved with courtesy. The colonel had had a brief talk with his better half before starting for the train, and suggested that it was very probable that Mrs. Rayner had seen the folly of her ways by that time—the captain certainly had been behaving as though he regretted the estrangement—and if encouraged by a "let's-drop-the-whole-thing" sort of manner she would be glad to reciprocate. He felt far less anxiety herein than he did in leaving the post to the command of Capt. Buxton. So scrupulously had he been courteous to that intractable veteran, that Buxton had no doubt in his own mind that the colonel looked upon him as the model officer of the regiment. It was singularly unfortunate that he should have to be left in command, but his one or two seniors among the captains were away on long leave, and there was no help for it. The colonel, seriously disquieted, had a few words of earnest talk with him before leaving the post, cautioning him so particularly not to interfere with any of the established details and customs, that Buxton got very [illegible]

"If your evidence were not imperatively necessary before this court I declare I believe I'd leave you behind," said the colonel to his adjutant. "Capt. Buxton won't do if left to himself."

It must have been near midnight, and the hop was going along beautifully, and Capt. Rayner, who was officer of the day, was just escorting his wife into supper, and Nellie, although looking a trifle tired and pale, was chatting brightly with a knot of young officers, when a corporal of the guard came to the door: "The commanding officer's compliments, and he desires to see the officer of the day at once."

There was a general laugh. "Isn't that Buxton all over? The colonel would never think of sending for an officer in the dead of the night, except for a fire or alarm; but old Bux. begins putting on frills the moment he gets a chance. Thank God, I'm not on guard to-night!" said Mr. Royce.

"What can he want with you?" asked Mrs. Rayner, pettishly. "The idea of one captain ordering another around like this!"

"I'll be back in five minutes," said Rayner, as he picked up his sword and disappeared.

But ten minutes—fifteen—passed, and he came not. Mrs. Rayner grew worried and Mr. Blake led her out on the rude piazza to see what they could see, and several others strolled out at the same time. The music had ceased, and the night air was not too cold. Not a soul was in sight out on the starlit parade. Not an unusual sound was heard. There was nothing to indicate the faintest trouble; and yet Capt. Buxton, the commanding officer, had been balled out by his "striker" or soldier servant before 11 o'clock, had not returned at all, and in little over half an hour had sent for the officer of the day. What did it mean? Questioning and talking thus among themselves, somebody said, "Hark!" and held up a warning hand.

Faint, far, muffled, there sounded on the night air a shot, then a woman's scream; then all was still.

"Mrs. Clancy again!" said one.

"That was not Mrs. Clancy, 'twas a far different voice," answered Blake, and tore away across the parade as fast as his long legs would carry him.

"Look! The guard are running too!" cried Mrs. Waldron. "What can it be!" And, sure enough, the gleam of the rifles and could be seen as the men ran rapidly away in the direction of the east gate. Mrs. Rayner had grown ghastly, and was looking at Miss Travers, who with white lips and clinched hands stood leaning on one of the wooden posts and gazing with all her eyes across the dim level. Others came hurrying out from the hall. Other young officers ran in pursuit of the first starters. "What's the matter! What's happened?" were the questions that flew from lip to lip.

"I—I must go home," faltered Mrs. Rayner, "Come, Nellie."

"Oh, don't go, Mrs. Rayner. It can't be anything serious."

But, even as they urged, a man came running toward them.

"Is the doctor here?" he panted.

"Yes. What's the trouble?" asked Dr. Pease, as he squeezed his burly form through the crowded doorway.

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SCHOOLBOY HUMOR.

Peculiar Combination of Facts and Nonsense Entertaines.

The August issue of Chambers's Journal contains an article by Mr. H. J. Barker, in the course of which he gives some specimens of the essay-writing powers of the poorer London children. Here, for example, is an extract from an exercise on "Governments":—

"Our country has a Queen who can't do anything but what she ought to. She has been at the Government for nearly fifty years, and still she looks nice. Also Georges I., II, III, and IV, but there were VIII Heurys. There is also houses called the Houses of Parliament. One of these is full of Lords, called the House of Lords, but the other is only built for them gentlemen as perhaps you have seen some of them, and it is called the House of Commons. No gentleman can get in there unless you know as he can make laws. But the Queen has to look them over, and see as they are made right. These Commons are called Conservatives and Liberals, and they try and hinder one another as much as they can. They sometimes have sides, and then you see it on the placards, and you can hear men and your fathers talking and quarrelling about it. Our country is governed a lot better than France, and Germany comes about next. Then there is a lot of others and then comes Persia. Our country always comes first, whoever you like to ask.

Here, again, are some excepts from a paper on "The Irish," written by a Lambeth lad:—

"The Irish are so called because they live on the island of Ireland. It is a beautiful country, which is chiefly noted for three principal classes of things, which is namely, its great greenness, its big bogness and its little shamrocks. It says in our lessons as green is a favourite colour with all the Irish great and small classes. Shamrock is nothing but a little bit of green clover. But the Irish love it. They cant manufacture things in Ireland same as we can from a trackion ingine to a sowing needle. But still the Irish manufacture the following classes of things very exceeding, namely, Linin, bacon, shop eggs, and whisky. The Irish are nearly as fond of bacon as they are of potatoes; and as for that there whisky, the Irish love it. The hearts of the Irish, the book says, are all very warm. If you are walking out in the country and you meet a poor man, you could easy tell whether he was an Irishman; for if he was an Irishman he would perhaps be in a pashion and have a pig with him.

A GREAT RACE.

Two Ocean Greyhounds Make a Run Across the Atlantic.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—The White Star steamer Teutonic came in a winner to-day in the great ocean race with the Inman Line steamer City of New York. The Teutonic passed Davitt's Rock lightship Queenstown, at 3:11 p. m. on the 4th instant, and arrived off the Sandy Hook lighthouse at 7:05 this morning, making the run between the two points in 5 days 20 hours and 54 minutes. The best previous run of the Teutonic between the two places was 5 days, 19 hours and 5 minutes. The best run of the trip was made yesterday, 500 miles. The Teutonic left Liverpool a week ago to-day, having received the mails aboard at 11:15 a.m. At 10:35 p.m. the Rock lighthouse was passed; at 2:27 p.m. on the 4th instant the mails were taken on board at Queenstown, and the Davitt's Rock lightship was passed at 3:11 p.m.

A run was made to noon of the 5th of 424 miles; on the 6th of 480; on the 7th of 470; on the 8th 494; on the 9th of 509; and to the Sandy Hook lighthouse of 397 miles. At 9:30 this morning the first of the Teutonic's passengers descended the gang-plank to the pier at the foot of West Tenth street. During the first three days of the voyage the Teutonic encountered strong southwest winds and heavy head seas, which prevented her making as good time as she could have done under more favorable weather. During the rest of the voyage both wind and sea were more auspicious. The two ocean racers kept well together until Thursday evening at six o'clock, when the Teutonic last saw the City of New York. Up to that time the Inman steamer had maintained the advance. She gained by an early start.

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Boulanger as a Patriot.

We remember Boulanger as an alleged patriot. Recent developments, however, prove to the contrary, if it be that to play into the hands of royalty is opposed to patriotism as understood in France.

Drumont, an anti-Semitic author, declares that Compte de Paris has in his possession a letter from Boulanger, in which letter he offers to restore the monarch on condition that he be promoted to the rank of marshal, and be created a duke, with an allowance of 200,000 francs yearly. Drumont adds that Baron Hirsch provided 200,000 francs for the election expenses in the department of the north. So much for Boulanger as a Republican.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str [illegible] from New Westminster—Mr and Mrs Rasure, Mrs Redmond, H A Smith, S Hemans, Capt Tatlow, G Kerwood, W Cargyle, P Murray, J Graham, W Churchard, W Judersans, G S Wylde, R P Jackson, W Macaulay, W Clarke, W Clarke Jr.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—C Matson, Miss Smith, S Jackson, F Bouster, Mrs Tolmie and daughter, C Thompson, Mrs Croft and son, F L Drew and wife, J S Krause, E Quaid, J Jonds, W F Anderson and wife, J W Tolmie, C A Lane, Miss Kelpt, Mrs Gates, E Tetro, J D Watkins, C Spring and wife, H Goodrich and wife, R McSween, N J Hook, H Griffith, Mrs Talbot, R Talbot, Miss Smith, J McEwin, Miss Jorand, J L Lyons, C Sansom and wife, and two daughters, J C Gates, C D Brownfield.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound—A Lynd, B Bowling, R Brennan, Mrs J Evans, and two children, T C Gray, Mrs McInally, G Lee, W F Dodge, Mrs Feinberg, J Sormus, H Anderson, J P Silvernail, Ed Robinson, Thos Shea, E W Baldwin, L Levy, Mrs Staub, R Tibbitts, F J Dowler, C Ahern, P Miller, John Miller, H E Lewis, G Fraser, D Dalzell, George Thomas, M Johnson, R S Shaw, T Old, A Leves, Mrs R S Lawrence, Mrs R Windsor and son, J Pomeroy, C H Ross, E W Merrill, Flo Powell, R F Linebarth and wife, C F Flynn, D F Thomson, Miss Flora Oak, Miss Minnie Scott, A G Lindberg, A Turner and wife, E Lange.

Per the Steamer Islander from Vancouver—John Morton, A F Cook, Mrs G T Beggs and sister, H Pearsen, E H Grindrod, P A Barnhart, Mrs Thos Earle, H L Snowden, Mr McLean, Rev McRae, H G Gorham, J B Lovell, A Haynes, F P Cook, H E Olmstead, N B Dalton, Mrs Grindrod, Mrs Barnhart, Geo Stevens, M H Cowan, A McCalvary, Rev P McF Macleod, Mrs Gorham, James Brady, John Anderson, Dr J M Lefevre, E D Preston, D McDonald, W McPherson, Thos Earle, A W Draper, Dr McLean, Mrs McRae, D W Dumble, J N Muir, G Biggar.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Olympian from the Sound—S Leiser, E B Marvin and Co, S P Kelly, P Phillips.

Per Str City of Kingston from the Sound—John Parker, Langley & Co, T W Fletcher, E G Prior, & Co, P McQuade & Son, J Sears, T N Hibben and Co, F G Norris, Wintermute Brothers, T H Maynard, J H Todd & Son, N Tetro.

Per Steamer Rithet from New Westminster—L Goodacre, G W Rasure, Standard Co, Simon Leiser, Geo Vienna, C P N Co, T G Moody, Lenz & Leiser, Robert Jamieson, Thompson & King, R Baker & Son, J H Baker, and & Co, A Wright, H Lapierre, G Follick, Redon, H Warner, Brackman & Ker, McLachlan Bros, S Clay, E G Prior and Co, W Clarke, Gerger, Mrs Halfpenny.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—N C McKinnon and Son, J Knolt, S Schwaing, Col Inland Rev, R P Rithet, and Co, F C Davidge, J Piercy & Co, Order Commander H H S, Thos Earle, Leiser, Hudson Bay Company, A B Erskine, J H Todd & Son, W J Wilson, B Williams, Cowan & Wilson, T W Fletcher, G and McCandless, order D McLean, C T Penwill, McLellan & McFeeley, Carne & Munsie, C Strouss & Co, Turner Beeton & Co, Captain Urquhart, Vaio & Brooks, Hamilton Powder Company, Dominion Express Company.

A Warning.

MR. EDITOR,—It is a well-known fact that the majority of people are inclined to look upon a cold in the head as a matter of little importance—involving at the most only a temporary inconvenience. No more disastrous mistake was ever made. The neglected cold in the head is the source of the catarrhal affections with which about seven-tenths of the people of this country are afflicted, and catarrh itself is too often the preliminary stages to consumption and death. The symptoms of catarrh are manifold, but among them may be mentioned, offensive breath; dull, oppressive headache; offensive droppings from the nostrils into the throat and bronchial tubes; deafness or partial deafness; constant hawking and spitting; weak and watery eyes; a hacking cough and feeling of general debility; ringing in the ears and frequent dizziness. These are but a few of the more general symptoms, and those who experience them should lose no time in applying a remedy. Delays are proverbially dangerous, and in the case of this too prevalent disease may lead to death. We offer Nasal Balm to the public as a positive cure for cold in the head and for catarrh in all its forms and stages. Nasal Balm has been tested in thousands of cases, and the testimonials in our possession prove that it is all we claim for it. It has cured other sufferers, it will cure you. It is easy to use, pleasant and agreeable and does not require a douche, or any torturing instrument to apply it. Give it a trial and be convinced of its great efficacy. Sold by all dealers or sent post free on receipt of price 50c. for small or $1 for large size bottles by addressing Fulford & Co., Brockville, Ont. d&w

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between John J. Hayes and Jas. W. Meldram has been dissolved by mutual consent, the undersigned carrying on the business of the firm at the "Ship Inn," Wharf street, receiving all accounts due said firm, and pay all bills.

JAMES W. MELDRAM.

Victoria, Aug. 18, 1890. aug18-1m

NOTICE.

ISRAELITES WHO ARE NOT MEMBERS of the Congregation requiring seats at the Synagogue during the forthcoming holidays, must obtain tickets from the undersigned, or any member of the Board of Officers.

E. J. SALMON,
Hon. Secretary.

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NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT "THE BRITISH Columbian Investment and Loan Society Limited," will, after the expiration of three months from the date hereof, apply to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council to have its name changed to "The British Columbia Deposit and Loan Company, Limited."

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Bastion street, Victoria.

Dated the 27th day of Aug. A.D. 1890. au28-3m

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE business known as the B. C. Broom Factory, has this day been sold to Yee Chong and Shoong Kee, and it is requested that all bills owing to me will be promptly paid, and all outstanding accounts will be paid on presentation. Thanking the public for their generous patronage in the past, I would solicit a continuance of the same for my successor.

ANDREW STRACHAN.

Victoria, Aug. 29, 1890.

In future the business of the B. C. Broom Factory will be carried on at the factory premises, on Fisgard street, near the Chinese theatre, by the undersigned, who respectfully requests a continuance of the patronage of the customers of the late firm. All goods manufactured of the best material and workmanship guaranteed. Orders addressed to P. O. Box 282, will receive prompt attention.

SHOONG KEE.
YEE CHONG.

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"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lot 12 of Subsection XXIX Beckley Farm, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICATE of TITLE of William Wait, of Victoria City, Province of British Columbia, to Lot 12 of subsection xxix, Beckley Farm, Victoria City, bearing date the 26th day of May, 1885, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office
Victoria, Sept. 3, 1890. se3-1m

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AUCTION.

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I am instructed by J. C. Prevost, Esq., to sell by Public Auction at the

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—ON—

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At 12 o'clock, noon, all that piece or parcel of land, known as Section Eighty-Six (86), situate in Comox or Nelson District, on the south side of the bay, adjoining the Union Coal Mines, containing One Hundred and Sixty Acres (160), more or less, on which are buildings, outhouses, etc., and a number of acres cleared.

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—ON—

FRIDAY, 19th SEPT.

At 12 o'clock noon, all those pieces or parcels of land, numbered on the official map as follows, viz.: Victoria city lots, No. 65 Kane street, 311 and 312 View street, and subdivision lot No. 6 of 5 acres, suburban lot No. X5, fifteen Pandora street, with all improvements thereon.

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MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Building By-Law.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

That Section twenty-one (21) of "The Building By-Law" be, and the same is hereby amended by adding thereto at the end of said Section the following words "Nor shall any tent or tents be placed or erected within the said limits."

This By-Law may be cited as "The Buildings By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890."

Passed the Municipal Council this 3rd day of September, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 10th day of September, A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. sept11

A BY-LAW

To Amend the Bank Credit By-Law, 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

Section one (1) of the Bank Credit By-Law 1890, is hereby amended by striking out the figure "5" in the fourth line of said Section and inserting therefor the figure "8."

This By-Law may be cited as "The Bank Credit By-Law Amendment By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council this 3rd day of September, A.D. 1890.

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(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. se11

A BY-LAW

Providing for the Widening of Chatham Street.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT FOR THE convenience of the traveling public and the citizens generally that Chatham street in the City of Victoria be widened.

Be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

That Chatham street, Spring Ridge aforesaid, be widened for its length between Chambers street and Fernwood road, in said city, to a uniform width of forty feet, and that for such purposes the land on each side of said street between Chambers street and Fernwood road aforesaid, to a width of ten feet, or such other width as may be found to be necessary, shall be entered upon, taken and used for the purpose of widening same as aforesaid.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Chatham Street Improvement By-Law, 1890.

Passed the Municipal Council the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 10th day of September, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. se11

A BY-LAW

To Appoint Park Commissioners for Beacon Hill Park.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. Thomas Earle, Joseph Heywood and John H. Turner are hereby appointed Park Commissioners for said Park.

2. It shall be the duty of the said Commissioners to recommend to the Council such improvements, as in their opinion, would be desirable and proper to be executed in said Park together with an estimate of the cost of said improvements, and to make frequent personal inspection of the said Park and to examine all accounts and claims in respect of the said Park and to certify same, to sign all cheques drawn in respect of the said accounts and claims, and said cheques to be countersigned by the Mayor for the time being, of the said City, and to see that all moneys voted for Park purposes be not expended otherwise than for Park purposes, to settle all disputes which may, from time to time, arise between the surveyor in charge, inspector or inspectors or either of them, and any contractor or contractors for any work in connection with said Park, and report the same through the City Clerk to the Municipal Council of said Corporation, and the decision of the said Commissioners shall be final, and shall, at the end of the term of their appointment, report to the said Council the condition of said Park and the improvements made thereon. In such report they shall also include the cost that the City has been to on account of said Park and upon what account expended, and generally shall exercise a supervision over the said Park and improvements that may be made. The said Commissioners shall meet at least once each month, and at any other time at the call of the secretary upon reasonable notice. The City Clerk shall act as secretary at all meetings of said Commissioners.

This By-Law may be cited as "The Beacon Hill Park Commissioners Appointment By-Law

Passed the Municipal Council the 6th day of September, A. D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 10th day of September, A. D. 1890.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C. M. C. se11

MUNICIPAL.

A BY-LAW

Appointing Three Commissioners of Sewers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. That Thomas Earle, M.P., J. H. Turner, M.P.P., and John Teague, Esq., are hereby appointed Commissioners to manage and superintend, as hereinafter prescribed the construction of sewerage and drainage works for the benefit of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

2. The duties of the said Commissioners shall be to examine all accounts and claims in respect of the sewers of the said City and to certify same, to sign all cheques drawn in respect of said accounts and claims, said cheques to be countersigned by the Mayor, for the time being, of said City, and to see that all moneys voted for sewerage purposes be not expended otherwise than for sewerage purposes, to settle all disputes which may from time to time arise between the engineer in charge, inspector or inspectors, or either of them, and any contractor or contractors for any work in connection with said sewers, and report the same through the City Clerk to the Municipal Council of said Corporation, and the decision of said Commissioners shall be final.

3. The said Commissioners shall have power to reject any and all work, or material, performed or used, and materials proposed to be used in any such work, that is not in their opinion in accordance with the plans and specifications, or either of them.

4. If the said Commissioners shall be of opinion that any assistant engineer or inspector of works, is not acting for the best interests of the said City, they shall call thereto the attention of the engineer in charge of said works and through him order the discharge of said assistant engineer or inspector of works.

5. The said Commissioners shall meet at least once in each month, and at any other time at the call of the secretary upon reasonable notice.

6. The City Clerk shall act as secretary at all meetings of said Commissioners.

7. The secretary shall call a meeting of the Commissioners whenever requested so to do by the Commissioners or the engineer in charge of the works.

8. The said Commissioners shall be appointed by the Council of said Corporation and shall hold office for the period prescribed and limited, in and otherwise under and subject to the provisions of subsection 90 of section 96 of the Municipal Act, 1889.

9. The remuneration of the said Commissioners shall be $10 each for each and every meeting of said Commissioners duly convened.

10. This By-Law may be cited as "The Commissioners of Sewers Appointment By-Law."

Passed the Municipal Council the 6th day of August, A.D. 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 3rd day of September, A.D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
C.M.C. se4

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNCIL OF the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. The assessment roll of the said City for the year 1890 shall be returned by the assessor to the clerk of the Municipal Council on the 20th day of August, 1890.

2. Any and all persons complaining of his, her or their respective assessments on the said roll shall within one month after the time hereinbefore fixed for returning said roll notify in writing the clerk of the Municipal Council of his, her or their grounds of complaint.

3. All complaints of which due notice shall have been given shall be heard at the City Hall, Victoria, on the 22nd day of September, 1890, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon after as they can be heard.

This By-Law may be cited as the By-Law respecting the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1890.

Passed the Municipal Council the 25th day of June, 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
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A BY-LAW.

Reducing Special Rate Imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

WHEREAS ON ACCOUNT OF THE INcreased value of property liable to assessment within the City of Victoria, it is found unnecessary to levy the full rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889.

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

From and after the final passage of this By-Law the rate imposed by said By-Law shall be 21-1000ths of one per cent, and there shall be levied and collected in respect of the said By-Law the said rate of 21-1000ths of one per cent, in lieu of the rate imposed by said By-Law.

This By-Law may be cited as the Reduction of the Special rate imposed by the Street Railway Guarantee By-Law, 1889, By-Law.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, A. D., 1890.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 30th day of July, A. D. 1890.

(L.S.) JOHN GRANT,
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, Mayor.
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RECIPROCITY.

The Toronto Globe, for years a strong free trade paper is now stronger than ever. Since July last there has been a marked improvement in the character of the Globe's free trade utterances. No new truths are being uttered that we are aware of, the difference seems to be in the presentment of the case which is unmistakably that of a writer who not only is master of his subject but who knows how to marshall his facts. Much depends on how a thing is put. Political economy is dry reading, we know of nothing dryer unless it be temperance statistics, and free trade is the stalest of chestnuts, there is not another in the land staler, unless it be that of protection. The Globe, however, manages to invest these dry, stale subjects with interest. Every day, or nearly that often, the public is given a leading article in which phases of these questions are presented with a comprehensive lucidity as powerful to shake the convictions of the most uncompromising protectionist as they are conclusive to the mind of the free trader of the soundness of his predilections. With the Globe, the Mail and the Herald hammering away, the Ottawa Free Press adding to the clamor, the Witness having something to say, the Star neutral, the Gazette, like BARKIS, not unwilling with certain qualifications, and the Hamilton Spectator on the "anxious seat," we have, an array of journalistic talent directly or indirectly committed to free trade which cannot but leave the impress of their lucubations on every thoughtful mind in Canada. If victory rests with the heaviest battalions, then, before two years, Canada ought to have reciprocity. We presume that not the rankest free trader would care to see the manufacturing interests of Canada wiped out for the sake of free trade. The patriotic instinct or pride of locality or whatever you choose to call it, is so strong in most men that unless the cost comes too high they prefer to patronize home industries to those of foreign parts. This sentiment in men is, we take it, the initial point of starting of the idea of protection, and we are bound to admit that it is not an unhealthy sentiment. It has been, however, as it is the case with most good things, run into the ground. Selfish men have made it a means to private ends. Originating in beneficence it has degenerated into an abuse. With its adventitious aid men have grown rich and powerful all out of proportion to the general character of the commonwealth. All this is so apparent that it seems unnecessary to call attention to it. But what is the cry in response to the protest that the people are dancing to more expensive music than they can afford? Why, the cry is, virtually, that the people should dance to the home-made melody at whatever cost; that to choke off the orchestra just as they are nicely in the way of absorbing every dollar the dancers can rake and scrape is not only disloyal but will involve both dancers and musicians in common ruin. Now the truth of the matter is, nothing of the kind will happen. Free trade has never yet proven inimical to home industries where those industries originated in and were operated on business principles. The cry was when the protection wall was torn down between England and Scotland that the industries of the latter would be annihilated. The reverse proved the case. Free trade proved as beneficial to Scotland as to England. But we need not look for precedents across the water. The objection is always interposed that the conditions are different.

In respect to certain lines of manufactures, it may as well be conceded first as last that Canada can never hope to compete successfully with the United States. Canada has coal, iron and lumber, and she ought, consequently, to compete successfully in the manufacture of all articles which involve the use of these products. In the matter of machine implements (free trade in operation of course) Canada should be able to compete with American manufacturers in their own markets. But when Canada undertakes to manufacture cotton goods, or in other words attempts to work up imported raw material, she engages in an enterprise in which she is handicapped from the start. Experience has proved this beyond cavil. For all that the cotton business has been pap fed, nursed with tenderest care, it is not yet able to stand alone. In Nova Scotia the conclusion is reached that the only thing left to do to extricate the cotton manufacturers from bankruptcy is to give them export bounties. This would be monstrous, and as the Globe observes, "by and bye parliament will probably be asked to pass a law commanding us all to wear three cotton shirts at a time, or order every corpse to be buried in a cotton sheet, just as the woolen manufacturers of England once secured an act whereby the dead had to be wrapped in woolen shrouds of English make." But while we are quoting Canadian papers as showing the fallacy of pap-feeding certain industries, let us make use of the language of a Ministerial organ on the question of reciprocity, anent Senator SHERMAN's amendment. Says the Gazette: "It is true that the scheme of a commercial union has been scouted by the Conservative party, and will, we believe, continue to receive its steady antagonism, for reasons often set forth, and ample to justify that attitude, but between commercial union and a measure of reciprocal trade consistent with the maintenance British connection, and the preservation of the political entity of Canada, there is a great gulf fixed. While the choice rests between the existing condition of things and the acceptance of original WIMAN scheme, there is no reason to doubt that the Canadian people will abide by the former; but if the Congress of the United States comes forward with an invitation for the appointment of commissioners to examine the whole trade question with a view to ascertaining how far a reciprocal arrangement can be extended, then we believe it will be the duty of the Canadian Government to accept the overture." Alluding to coal, "under National Policy, says the Gazette," the sales to this Province have increased from 83,000 tons to 700,000 tons annually, a gain which much more than compensates for the loss of the American market, but without a close enquiry into the subject it would be rash to infer that reciprocity would drive the native article out of Quebec. If we take our other coal producing province, British Columbia, there is not a shadow of doubt that free entry into the United States would greatly stimulate production there. British Columbia already exports about 400,000 tons to the Pacific States, in spite of the duty of 75 cents, and under reciprocity would at once command the whole trade of that section; while the coal areas in the Northwest Territories would have an excellent prospect of speedy development if the American duty were removed.

Probably a more extraordinary sight was never presented than British Columbia with everything to gain and nothing to lose by reciprocity, sending a solid delegation of protectionists to the Dominion Parliament. Under the circumstances such doggedness seems to prove, if it proves anything, that men have not yet learned how to exersise the ballot, or that their prejudices are stronger than their common sense.

WHAT KIND OF REFORM IS WANTED?

"An interesting discussion," says the Montreal Star, "is going on in the American press on the question of state management of railways." One writer contends that private management is more efficient, more alive to the public demands, more quick to adopt improved methods, and has, on the whole, done more to secure the safety and convenience of passengers at a low cost of carriage than public management could be or do, or ever has been or done when tested. What is to be gained, it asked, by substituting state management under the politician's spoils system, for the energy and enterprise of private corporations in competition with each other for popular favor? On the other hand, it is declared that the Government must take possession of the roads, or the roads will capture the Government, as they practically have already. It is also predicted that if something is not done, a dreadful revolt of one million five hundred armed strikers will surely occur "There is anarchy and civil war lowering along the whole horizon," writes Mr. CASSIUS M. CLAY. The prespresent position thus appears to be regarded with undisguised apprehension. Another writer makes a strong point against the existing system by pointing out the swindling, wrecking, rascally features of the history of American railway management. The operations of the "speculating thieves" who have so often got control of the roads and swindled the rightful owners out of their property and the public out of an honest service have done much, it is asserted, to strengthen public opinion in favor of government control. Prof. ELY meets the argument as to the danger of extending the party spoils system, by asserting that "public ownership would necessarily be the death of of the spoil system," because the railways are so intimately and constantly in touch with the lives and pockets of the people that no nonsense would be tolerated in their management for a moment. The labor organizations, the farmers and the increasing influence of the Nationalists are all in favor of government ownership, but it is shown that the companies possess a power so stupendous that a struggle between them and the state is full of doubt." To these arguments the Star comments to the effect that they serve to show "how almost unconsciously many able and well meaning men are drifting in the current of State socialism."

The Star takes no stock in the argument favoring the extension of the "functions of Government," insisting that the "study should be to restrict them. What is really needed is not Government control, but close Government supervision by capable, properly selected officials." The remedy the Star proposes is as bad as the disease. The difference between "properly selected officials" to supervise railway management and the extending of the "functions of government" is very slight. If the railways now control the Government why should they not control "properly selected officials?" If governments are rotten why should not supervising officials be rotten? And, in fact, what would be supervising officials but an extension of the functions of Government? Would not the Government be the managers of railways through their officials?

Reduced down to a fine thing, there seems to be no escape from the conviction that anarchy is only to be avoided by the adoption of one of two alternatives. Either the country from the humblest citizen to the highest must purge itself of dishonesty or it must adopt some system of paternalism which from the nature of its constitution will render abortive the machinations of conspiring knaves. It will be urged that unless the core of the country is sound no system that can be devised will prove more than a palliative. In this we agree, and hence urge that it is not political reform that is needed that anarchy should be averted, but moral reform. No system has value that is not honestly administered. Single tax seems to block the road to rascality and to monopoly, but the fact of the matter is, single tax in operation to-morrow the same moral principles disregarded that are to-day, the system would be rotten inside of a quarter of a century. It is moral and not political reform that is imperative.

MOWAT'S LATEST VICTORY.

The recent victory of the Hon. O. MOWAT over Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD adds another to the long list of constitutional questions which he has fought and won in the interests of Provincial Rights. The late contest was in regard to the power of the Province of Ontario to remit and commute sentences passed under the laws of the Province. An act was passed by the Ontario Legislature for the purpose of testing the point, and Chancellor BOYD, Vice-Chancellor FERGUSON and Judge ROBERTSON have given an unanimous judgment on the case submitted to them in favor of MOWAT's contention. The judgment was a very elaborate one. It is probable, of course, that the case will be taken to the Supreme Court, for Sir JOHN has never been known to admit that he was whipped until the last kick was knocked out of him; but it will not be too much to assume, judging from the past, that Mr. MOWAT will be sustained in the court of last resort. The decision is one of the utmost importance, as it will confer a power upon the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council which hitherto they have never thought they had a right to exercise.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Colonist having gone over, body, bones and breeches, to the Chinese, its editor is wrestling with an article on: "Pigtails; Their Religious Significance and Practical Utility." The article will "astonish the natives" when it appears.

Sir HECTOR LANGEVIN says his government is very jealous of its foreshore rights. There are to be found people who think that the Dominion Government have no foreshore rights. Possibly Mr. MOWAT will make this the basis of his next attack upon the centralizing policy of Mr. LANGEVIN's colleagues. Certainly, we need never expect the Premier of British Columbia to do anything in that direction.

The Nanaimo Free Press is extracting sunshine from cucumbers. The Colonist said that the existence of C Battery would come to an end because the time for which the men had enlisted was about to expire. If C Battery was thus to dissolve, the Free Press thinks the Government would be compelled to let affairs at the mines take their natural course, as there would be no soldiers left to keep up "der wacht am Wellington," It would be a startling denouement to the miserable fiasco, for which the ROBSON "gang" would be clearly responsible, were Col. HOLMES and his officers required to take the places of the N. C. officers and men at the front when the latter's term of service has expired. The picture would be one that only a master hand could paint.

Scene at Court.

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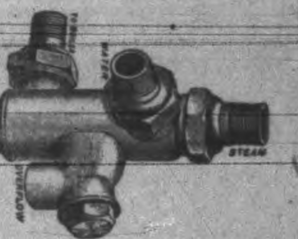

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A lot of fine horses are coralled in a vacant lot, corner of Kane and Douglas streets.

Hilbert's boot and shoe stock at 74 Yates street must be sold regardless of cost. tf

The new car house for the N. K. T. & L. Company, on Pembroke street, is nearing completion.

Don't fail to attend the clearing sale of boots and shoes at Hilbert's 74 Yates street. tf

Over $70,000 worth of canned salmon has been shipped from New Westminster over the C.P.R. this season.

Some of the latest novelties in the new lot of silverware just received by Lange & Co. *

Quietness reigned supreme in the city police court this morning, not even a drunk showing up to be disposed of.

If you want to get bargains in shoes, come while the stock is assorted at 74 Yates street. tf

The bicycle cinder track at Westminster is nearly completed. This is the first one of the kind ever laid down in the province.

Oilcloths, linoleums and carpets at rock bottom prices, Lockhart & Co's, Douglas street.

The statement that two young men from the east, both noted lacrosse players, had been paid to come to Westminster, is denied by the press of that city.

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The master mechanic of the C. P. R. shops at Vancouver, Mr. Lacy R. Johnson, is to enter a working model of a locomotive at the Westminster exhibition.

See Lockhart & Co.'s Furniture, carpets, oilcloths and upholstery before purchasing elsewhere. It will pay you. Douglas street.

Sam Gray, of Chemainus, has subdivided a piece of land on the Fraser, a few rods from Hendry's mill, Westminster, into town lots and will shortly offer them for sale by auction.

General Miles, who has been appointed by the U. S. Senate to report on a place for a naval station on the Pacific coast, is said to be on his way here, evidently with the object of having a look at Esquimalt.

Two extra cars will be run on the Fort street line between 2 and 6 p. m. to-morrow, carrying passengers to the Driving Park. No transfers will be issued on any of the lines between the above named hours.

"Montserrat" Lime-Fruit Juice is the standard summer drink throughout England, and is delightfully cool and refreshing.

A few days ago one of the crew of the bark Titania was fined $5, or in default one month in the city jail, for getting drunk. He was left in jail for several days by the captain, but evidently thinking a few days was enough punishment, he has now paid the man's fine and he is again at work.

See Lockhart & Co's. fancy chairs in plush, finished in 16th century antique oak. Walnut, cherry, and all the latest colors and designs. The finest and cheapest in the city.

The trouble in the East Presbyterian church, Vancouver, over the selection of a pastor, has at last been terminated and Rev. Geo. A. Maxwell, of Three Rivers, Quebec, has been given a call. He was chosen by a vote of 4 to 15 on the part of the congregation and the presbytery sustained the decision of the flock.

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VALERIE'S LOVE SONG.

It Was Played at Ischl on the Eve of the Archduchess' Wedding.

A surprise which was prepared by the Emperor and Empress for the Archduchess Valerie on the eve of her wedding, is now being talked of in Vienna. Our correspondent there tells us that Baron Bezeeny, the director of the court theatres, was asked to invite a famous Vienna quartette to come to Ischl on July 30, and to tell no one of their coming. From the station they were taken to the house of the Master of Ceremonies, put into a room alone, and given four copies of a love song and accompaniment. The song, which bore neither the name of the poet nor the composer, they were asked to study. An ample repast was sent them, and they were asked to remain until they were sent for.

At night, when the fires on the mountains were extinguished, and the moon shone bright over hills and woods, they were led to the Imperial villa and placed under a group of trees opposite the front terrace. At a signal agreed upon they were to begin their song. They heard talking in the apartment which opens out upon the balcony. Presently the Empress appeared with her arm round her daughter. Close behind them followed the Emperor with the bridegroom. As they stood silent on the balcony gazing at the truly beautiful scenery, Prince Hohenlohe gave the signal, and from beneath the trees rose sweetly the notes of the tender love song, the words and music of which had been composed by the young bride. Her eyes overflowed with grateful tears as she looked from her father to her mother. The Emperor afterwards went below and gave each singer a handsome diamond scarf-pin, thanking them at the same time for their rendering of the song.—London Daily News.

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ON ENGLISH RAILROADS.

Blackmailers Find Opportunity in the Compartment Cars.

Julian Ralph, in Harper's Weekly, says: The stories about the advantage taken of the compartment system in English railroad cars by female adventurers are not greatly exaggerated. In London, on the sulphurous and cavernous underground railroads, one day while I was a passenger there, an Englishman told me of two instances of attempted blackmail that was fresh in his mind. In one he played a conspicuous part. Happing to be left alone with a woman in a compartment she raised an outcry when the train slowed up at one of the stations. He asked her what was the matter, and she said that unless he gave her a sum of money she intended to have him arrested. He defied her, and she screamed again, continuing her cries until the train stopped and a guard came to the door. To him my acquaintance told the plain story of what had accurred, and it chanced that the guard believed him.

"I've seen you traveling a bit too often up and down the road," the guard said to her, "and I'll advise you to say no more, but leave before you get into trouble."

This gentleman said that very shortly after this happened he was traveling on the same line when he noticed a man and a woman get off at a station and go to the lunch counter. She followed behind her companion, insisting that there was no time to get whatever he wanted. He was very complacent and leisurely, however, and just as the guards were shutting the doors he urged the woman to run. She did so, and he helped her into the car as it began to move. Then he slammed the door and remained on the platform, while the train sped away.

"That was a narrow escape," said he. "That woman and I were together in a compartment and she insisted upon talking to me. I am certain she is a blackmailer. I flatter myself I outwitted her pretty neatly."

Journalistic Comment on Blaine's Speech.

Utica Herald—A calm and very clear expression of American conviction.

Cincinnati Commercial Gazette—He is for reciprocity, not in conflict with protection, but supplementary to it.

Minneapolis Tribune—Mr. Blaine's view is incontrovertible.

Alton Telegraph—Blaine's ideas usually take a practical turn.

Pittsburg Dispatch—His arguments are couched in terms that the people can understand, and they cannot but create a profound impression upon the country.

Kansas City Star—The public utterances of Mr. Blaine always command attention.

Nashville American—Mr. Blaine with commendable spirit urges that it would not be an ambitious destiny if we should be content to produce only what we can consume. The point of the whole argument is that the home market idea has proven a snare and a delusion, and that the same policy which shuts out competition from abroad at the same time confines our capabilities for production within limits too narrow for their perfect growth and expansion.

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C. E. RENOUF, Secretary.
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AS WORK WILL AT ONCE BE COMmenced to take out Beaver Rock it is requested, that all vessels coming in or going out of Victoria Harbor must give the scows or barges employed in this work as broad a birth as possible, and also to go at a slow speed.

A red light will be exhibited on the s. e. corner of the scow or barge from dark until daylight while the work is being done.

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THE WHITE GENERAL.

HOW A RUNAWAY SAILOR ROSE TO EMINENCE IN AFRICA.

His Great Success as a General of Dusky Warriors—His Battle With Chief Mpstati—White Man's Skill Too Much For the Black Enemy.

A writer in the New York Sun, relating his experiences in Africa says: After a battle in which the entire band of slave-hunters and cattle stealers were wiped out, the rulers of the four tribes which had furnished fighting men proposed to form a republic and elect me president of it. My ambition did not run that way. I knew the native African well enough to know that he would not long be content with an innovation. Each tribe had its own idioms and customs, and a government for the whole would be certain to clash somewhere. The power surrendered by the four rulers would soon be regretted; and then would follow plots and conspiracies and off would go my head. It was very pleasant to be honored and praised and admired, but I decided to let it stop there. I therefore discouraged the idea of a combine except against a common enemy, and it was dropped.

The great victory won would be sure to create new enemies, and we were scarcely through with our rejoicings when they appeared. About a hundred miles to the west of us was a ruler named Mpstati, who had long been hand and glove with the slave dealers. Most of the men killed in this battle were of his tribe, he having hired them to the Arabs for so much a day or week. This ruler had once extorted a heavy ransom from our four tribes, under threat of marching upon them with a large army, and it was now confidently predicted that we would soon hear from him. As commander-in-chief of the army I did not disband it, but added from the reserves enough to bring the number up to 1000 men. A large number of additional slings were made, and among the spoils of war there were many spear heads, which had to be provided with handles. We had now a larger number of muskets than could be got together by all the combine tribes of Africa and while I watched for Mpstati's coming I had no fear of him.

The first news came by the messengers. He sent three of the warriors to us to say that he had heard all about the massacre and was determined to revenge it. He demanded the return of all the spoils, 400 cattle, 400 slaves, and the body of the white man who had led the victorious troops. But for my efforts the messengers would have been put to death. I gave each one a present and sent them off with a message that, while we desired to live at peace with all mankind, we were strong enough to take care of ourselves. We should not go to attack Mpstati, but if he came to attack us he must take the consequences. As there was no doubt that he would come, I made a close survey of the country through which he would pass. He was known to be impulsive and obstinate. Having once made ready to attack us, he would probably come by the most direct route, eager to strike a blow in revenge. Our village would probably be his objective point.

I found no battle ground to please me outside the village. Any position that we might take could be flanked, as the country was open. The village was situated on the side of a sloping hill in a banana grove. The country on three sides of us was pasture land for the cattle. The key to the position was the crest of the hill behind us. On that I constructed two earthworks and connected them. Along the slope of the hill I dug a number of rifle pits. In the grove, to cover a direct flank attack, I constructed defences of thorns and covered them with rifle pits. As a thousand pairs of hands were eagerly engaged in this work, it was soon completed. Then I had a sham battle to see how the defense would work, and was satisfied that if Mpstati attacked our stronghold he would get the worst of it. Scouts were kept out for a long distance, and there was no fear of surprise.

It was about two months after our battle that Mpstati sent in word that he had already taken up his march for our village, and that he would not rest until he had made slaves of every human being in the four tribes. Such of the people as desired to meet him and surrender would gain his favor by such a proceeding, but none of the head men, the army officers, or the white man need expect mercy. The messengers who brought this news were not allowed to approach the village, and therefore got no hint of our preparations. I returned word that we still desired peace, but if attacked would do our best to win a victory. By way of keeping Mpstati up to his work I added that we feared him more as a cow thief than as a warrior. Two or three days later our scouts brought in word that he was only one march away, having a force of about 800 warriors. Of these only about 100 were armed with muskets. Attending these warriors were about 500 porters and camp followers.

Our cattle had all been driven away to a valley twenty miles to the northeast of us, and the women and children and old men had followed them. We therefore had nothing to look out for but ourselves. The enemy appeared about three o'clock in the afternoon, and Mpstati was so sure of success that the last five miles of his march was made in the open ground, where he could see every man in his force. A mile away he halted and sent forward a messenger to command us to march out and lay down our arms. The messenger returned to him minus one ear, and it was not long before that battle opened. Mpstati determined to attack at once, and in front. As I watched the disposition of his troops I saw that he was going to send forward about half of them. I had 100 men, all armed with muskets, in each defence in the grove. They were instructed to hold their fire to the last, and to let as many men pass them as would. These defences were about a quarter of a mile apart. Mpstati's warriors formed in ten or twelve ranks, each rank containing a front of forty men. The first three ranks had muskets. The advance was made with the most direful yelling one ever heard, and was at a wild run. At least one half the force passed the defenses, rushed through the grove, and were suddenly checked by volleys from the rifle pits. They were broken and disorganized by the first fire, and would have retreated but for the men in the lower defenses. They now opened fire, and out of the 400 men and over who charged us not more than half got out of the grove. The fight lasted about twenty minutes, and though the enemy was disorganized from the first my men so recklessly exposed themselves that we had ten killed and thirty wounded.

Great was Mpstati's surprise and indignation at beholding the fight and defeat of his troops. He sought in vain to rally them, but it could not be done. In their panic they carried the main body back half a mile with them. In the meantime the yells and rejoicings of my own men created a grand uproar. They picked up over seventy muskets among the dead, and each musketeer carried a horn of powder and ten balls. The weapons were at once served out to take the place of spears, and all were anxious for the next move. Mpstati saw that he had made a mistake. He had depended on his name and numerical strength striking terror to the hearts of our people, but it was a failure. He perhaps thought our force exaggerated, and the idea of defenses had never entered his mind. As soon as he could rally his forces he advanced and spread out in a crescent before the grove, and not over musket shot away. There his ranks rested, as if to keep us from breaking through, although we had an open route at our backs. As he was now within reach of the slings, I stationed 400 men on the hillside and instructed them as to the elevation. Each had an attendant to furnish missiles, and every stone fell among Mpstati's forces. They could not account for such a rainfall, and after a number of them had been hurt all moved back out of range.

I had force enough to move down and attack, but darkness had now come and no steps could be taken. I knew that Mpstati would remain quiet during the night, as he had many wounded to attend to and must perfect some new plan of battle, and I spent a good share of the night moving my troops to new positions and seeing that all understood the orders given. The enemy had fallen back to the cover of timber on our left, and during the night the sky was lit up by the glare of his camp fires. I divided my force into three commands, moved out entirely from shelter, and when morning came we moved down on Mpstati from the north, northeast and northwest. I was in command of the center, and probably thinking my 400 men constituted our entire force, he drew up his command on the edge of the woods to receive us. I sent forward skirmishers, who created considerable loss and confusion, and then advanced in two battle lines. They fired two volleys at us as we advanced, but not a man was hit. We then fired in return and created great loss and disorder. Mpstati ordered a charge, but just as it was to be made our flanking parties came up and opened fire, and with yells of terror and dismay his force broke and scattered, and every man became a fugitive. The route was complete. Had I been satisfied with it I could not have restrained my men from pursuit. Had we been defeated every officer would have been tortured to death and every soldier been taken as a slave. They could not see why any mercy should be shown invaders who had come with such evil intent, and the pursuit was therefore lasting and bitter. It was continued for fifty miles in some cases, and of the army invading our territory not more than fifty escaped. We secured every musket, hundreds of spears and war clubs, a great lot of camp stuff, and Mpstati himself was one of the dozen prisoners brought in.

The battle was a great one, and its results were far-reaching. It broke up a great rendezvous for cattle-dealers and slave-hunters, and repopulated a district half as large as the State of Maryland which had been abandoned for years. It assured permanent peace to no less than ten different tribes of natives, some of whom had been compelled to pay Mpstati a large tax each year. The captives were placed under a strong guard until our people had a grand blow-out over the victory. The captured chief was a big six-footer, forty years of age, and of great will and determination. I had several long conversations with him through an interpreter, and at his request he was taken out for a survey of the battle ground. He had never seen anything but natural defences, and he at once pronounced the idea as a good one. The fact of so many of his men being killed and wounded by musket balls was a great surprise to him, as his own men could never be trained to fire steadily. He had fought many battles, but it had never occurred to him to find artificial shelter for his men or to divide his force. He anxiously inquired where I had learned the art of war, and did not believe me when I told him that I was a runaway sailor, who had never even marched with the soldiers. When I asked him what he thought his fate would be, he promptly answered:

"The same that yours would have been had I won the victory."

He was doubtless honest in this, as he was a man of wicked and brutal temperament, and was never known to to show the least bit of mercy to an enemy. After the jubilee was over it was left to me to name the manner in which the prisoners should die. All were defiant and impudent. Had they been otherwise, I believe I should have helped them to escape, as several opportunities to do so occurred during the ten days. I refused to name the manner of death, and on the day they were executed I went up on the mountain and remained away all day. When I returned all was over, and the bodies had been dragged away for the beasts of prey to devour that night.

Smoking Room of a Steamer.

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" Nanaimo for Victoria..........Saturday, 7 a.m.

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TIME TABLE No. 13,

Taking effect July 17, 1890.

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New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)
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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 14:30 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Fraser River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Chilliwhack and Way Landings every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

Bute Inlet Route.

Steamer Rainbow leaves every Tuesday at 7 a.m., for Cowichan, New Westminster, Burrard Inlet, Bute Inlet and way ports.

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RAILWAYS.

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TIME TABLE NO. 12.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Thursday, May 1st, 1890.

☞ Trains run on Pacific Standard Time. ☜

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 6 Passenger Saturdays only	STATIONS.	GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun., Mon.	No. 5 Passenger Saturdays only.
De. 8:00 A M	De. 3:00 P M		VICTORIA	Ar. 12:21 P M	Ar. 8:10 P M	
8:04	3:12		RUSSELL'S	12:20	[illegible]	
8:14	3:22		ESQUIMALT	[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	3:47		GOLDSTREAM	11:45 A M	[illegible]	
9:33	4:12		SHAWNIGAN LAKE	10:56	7:06	
9:44	4:32		COBBLE HILL	10:4[illegible]	6:56	
9:57	5:07		McPHERSON'S	10:27	6:41	
10:07	5:17		KOKSILAH	10:17	6:31	
10:12	5:22		DUNCAN'S	10:12	6:26	
10:22	5:34		SOMENOS	10:02	6:10	
10:48	[illegible]		CHEMAINUS	9:36	5:54	
Ar. 11:50	Ar. 6:52	De. 10:15 P.M.	NANAIMO	De. 8:34 Ar. 8:25	De. 4:56	Ar. 7:30 P.M.
Ar. 12:14 P M	Ar. 7:07	Ar. 10:30	WELLINGTON	De. 8:10	De. 4:41	De. 7:15

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Leave Port Townsend .. .. 10:30 a.m.
Leave Seattle .. .. .. 2:30 p.m.
Arrive Tacoma .. .. .. †4:15 p.m.

Tacoma-Seattle Route.

Leave Tacoma—†8:00 a.m.; 12:00 m.; *7:45 p.m.
Leave Seattle—*4:30 a.m.; †2:00 p.m.; *4:30 p.m.
Boats leaving Tacoma 12:30 p.m., and Seattle at 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. land at Des Moines.

Seattle-Olympia Route.

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Leave Tacoma..7:30 p.m. | Lv. Steilacoom..9:00 a.m.
Lv. Steilacoom..9:00 p.m. | Leave Tacoma..12:00 m.
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he Daily Times.

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FORESHORE RIGHTS.

ted to Buy Part of False Creek—How it is Valued.

ir Hector Langevin, Minister of blic Works, was waited upon by a putation of parties who are interested in False Creek, Vancouver.

Sir Hector stated that as several applications had been made to purchase the bed of False Creek from the Government, he had decided to investigate the matter whilst in the city in order to be able to arrive at a decision as to what recommendation he would make. He thought if a decision was reached to sell the bed of the creek the public interest should be the first consideration. The Government would carefully consider all the facts connected with the property, such as vested interests, foreshore and riprarian rights. The city had made application to purchase that portion of the creek above the New Westminster bridge. He had been approached by private parties in the east. One gentleman had offered $10,000 for the property, but was informed that he could multiply the sum by twenty and again by twenty, so valuable did the Government consider it.

Conveyances were taken and the party drove to the New Westminster avenue bridge. On reaching the bridge the tide was coming in, but Sir Hector observed sufficient to convince him of the importance to the public of the Government retaining control of the entire creek. The Minister referred to the danger always arising of interfering with water and water rights. The party drove to Alexander street, where an examination was made of the Inlet foreshore. The encroachments made there in the shape of cabins somewhat surprised Sir Hector, who said that the Government was exceedingly jealous of its foreshore rights and vigilant against encroachments made thereon, or in any property belonging to the Crown. He favored a public landing in the city and thought that if properly gone about, this could be accomplished to satisfaction of all parties.

AT SPRATT'S WHARF.

What is Being Accomplished by the Ship Builders.

This has indeed been a splendid year for the shipbuilders and steamboat fitters, there having been nine or ten new boats built here this season, besides the refitting of a number of the old ones. Spratt's wharf has been continuously in use; even now, although it is late in the season, the noise made by the caulker's hammer and chisel, and the boiler makers and machinists, is to be heard all day long. There is at present under construction at this wharf, a new steamer for W. J. Steven's, still on the ways; Capt. Manson's new steamer, the Thistle; R. Cunningham's Chieftain, and R. P. Rithet's new dredger. The latter is perhaps the bulkiest piece of work put together in Victoria, and is attracting the attention of all those interested in marine work.

The Thistle and Chieftain are both nearing completion, and will be ready for use in a few weeks.

Besides these new boats there are a large number undergoing repairs, among them being the steamer Westminster, which had her boiler taken out last night, the Lottie, now ready for use, the tug Lorne and the Badger. The wood work of the different boats is divided up among the many shipbuilding firms, but most of the iron work is turned out at the Albion.

The sealing schooners now in the harbor, numbering about a dozen, are also having necessary repairs made before being laid up for the winter, and consequently ship builders are kept hustling.

Snow Flying.

Mr. Earle, who has just returned from Banff, and other travelers over the C.P R., report the appearance of snow in the neighborhood of Calgary. In Victoria it is still midsummer.

An Excellent Investment.

A lot 60x120, in a favorable residence locality, has been placed in our hands for sale. One of the best bargains ever offered. Apply to W. R. Higgins & Co., White House block. 31.

Engineers' Meeting.

The Marine Engineers' Association holds its regular monthly meeting at the rooms, 76 Ystes street, to-morrow night. Business of importance is to be considered, the growth of the association making it imperative that larger and more convenient quarters be obtained.

Concert and Ball.

The concert and ball given by the Sir William Wallace Society to-night is to be a very pleasant event. The programme shows that some of the best local talent is to assist. Mr. McKenzie Munro, the great Scotch piper and dancer, will add to the features of the entertainment. After the concert there will be a grand ball.

Real Estate Transfers.

The number of transfers in real estate and amounts involved, in the cities of Seattle, Portland and Tacoma during last week were:

	No. Transfers.	Amount.
Seattle	311	$463,102 70
Portland	87	207,319 35
Tacoma	171	180,661 21

Music at the Sports.

The following is the band programme for the athletic sports on Saturday next at Victoria Driving Hark:

March	Welcome Home	S. Jones
Polonaise	Dance du Tambourine	Bogetti
Selection	Boccacio	Suppe
Serenade	La Paloma	J. Hartmann
Selection	Mikado	Sullivan
Waltz	Espana	Waldteufel
Galop	Pleine Carriere	Bohm

God Save the Queen.

Beautiful Women.

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Arrived.

Curling tongs and lamps, ladies pen knives, scissors, etc. and a full line of shaving materials at M. & H. A. Fox's, 78 Government street. *

Fletcher-Scott.

Mr. E. H. Fletcher, P. O. Inspector of British Columbia, was married on Thursday at the St. Joseph Roman Catholic church, Ottawa, to Miss Sarah, eldest daughter of Senator Scott. There was a large and fashionable gathering to witness the wedding.

British Columbia at Toronto.

TORONTO, Sept. 11.—The directors tendered the special exhibitors a luncheon. The British Columbia exhibit is open and is a splendid success. It is visited by hundreds who all seem intensely interested and surprised at the products. The press all give British Columbia special attention.

To be Cut up.

To-day there arrived the first consignment of fall goods for gentleman's clothing. They comprise a well selected stock of Scotch, French, and German goods in the latest patterns, and will be made up at reasonable figures, in a first class manner, by J. Mc. Callum, 43 Fort street. *

New Approach.

The Messrs. Dunsmuir are building a splendid approach to Messrs. Hall & Goepel's and W. Walker's coal bunkers under the railway station. The new roadway will be a great convenience to draymen, etc., as they will now have a direct approach to Janion's wharf from Wharf street, instead of having to go around Store street as before.

Stone Throwing.

When school boys throw stones in the residence part of the city when there are not many people on the streets to get hit, is bad enough, but when men, or at least young men, commence throwing stones on Government street, some one should come to the rescue of the suffering public. A sample of this was shown yesterday, when a young man took up a large stone and threw it at a friend, hitting him on the leg. The bruise was at first thought to be very slight, but now the injured man is seen limping around town.

Came Down Heavy.

Last evening as a gang of men were taking a large safe into an office over Sommer's store on Government street, the tackle that they were hauling it up with gave away and the three tons of iron came sliding down. The door at the bottom of the stairs and the frame work were smashed to atoms. Luckily no one was behind it at the time, and consequently no injuries are reported. The noise made by the crash was enough to make one think that an explosion had taken place, and people ran from all parts of the city to see the fun.

The Lighthouse Tender.

The steamer Sir James Douglas returned on Thursday evening from Bonilla Point, which place she left at 11 a.m. Capt. Lewis of the Marine Department, who was on her, reports good weather, and that they did not sight any schooners on the way up. Telephone communication is now clear between Cape Beale and Bonilla Point, but the line to this city is not working. The new lighthouse at Bonilla Point will by ready in about two months, and will be a great help to navigators. The Douglas left for Race Rocks and Discovery Island lights to-day, and will go to Bonilla again next week.

To-morrow's Sports.

The Driving Park will no doubt be well filled to-morrow when the athletic sports to be given by the Victoria football club, commence. A splendid programme has been arranged and as several valuable prizes are offered no doubt much interest will be taken. Among the prizes offered are a handsome medal presented by the Victoria Lacrosse club, one by the Jockey club and several very handsome prizes presented by private individuals and firms. Not the least enjoyable part of the programme will be the music by the Warspite band which will be in attendance. The sports will commence at 2:30 instead of 1 o'clock as was at first announced.

The Last "Dissenter."

The last Presbyterian congregation in British Columbia to seek admission into the Presbytery of Columbia, is at Wellington and ministered to by Mr. Christie. A committee has been appointed to consider and report upon the request, and when, as is probable will be the case, the congregation of Presbyterians at Wellington sever their connection with the Church of Scotland, and become part and parcel of the great Presbyterian Church of Canada, Presbyterianism in British Columbia will be completely unified and consolidated into one church. It will sound like old-time heterodoxy, to say that there will be no longer any "dissenters" in British Columbia, but that word correctly expresses the consolidation that has taken place, and which must result to the mutual advantage of both church and people.

How to Get Good Butter.

As will be seen by an advertisement in another column, a lecture will be given to-morrow (Saturday) evening at the Philharmonic Hall, by Professor James W. Robertson, on Dairying. Mr. Robertson, who is Professor of Dairying at the Dominion Agricultural College at Guelph, is making a tour of the country under the authority of the Dominion Government, giving instructions by a course of lectures, as to the best and most approved methods for the treatment of stock, and the production of butter of the best quality and greatest quantity. The lecturer is so thoroughly conversant with his subject, and delivers his views in such clear and comprehensive language, that the whole process of superior dairying can be understood by the most inexperienced person. The Professor's lectures have been well attended throughout the Dominion, and much good has resulted therefrom. We would urge upon all those who are at all interested in dairying matters to attend the lecture to-morrow evening, and venture to guarantee them an evening's superior entertainment.

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The Fife, the Teak, the Princess, the Russian, all in beautiful new designs. Also in Imperial cloth, very choice.

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Eiderdown, Inverness, Reversible Velvet, Clan Tartans, Cashmere, Silk, Honeycomb, and Knit Shawls, Scarfs and Fascinators, Dressing Gowns, Jersey Jackets, etc.

Silks,

Black Surahs, | Colored Pongees,
Black Moire, | Colored Faille,
Black Gros Grain, | Colored Merveilux
Black Faille, | Colored Moire,
Black Merveilux, | Colored Broche,
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IN THE "TIMES."

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PRESBYTERY OF B. C.

Extra Services Requested—Money Granted for a New Church.

The Presbytery of British Columbia [illegible] church, New Westminster, on Wednesday morning. After devotional exercises, the Moderator appointed the various committies for the year.

The resolution of St. Andrew's church, Westminster, showing that the residents of the West End, Sapperton and Millside had secured church sites and were ready to guarantee $600 in aid of regular church services, and asking the Presbytery to take the necessary steps for securing such services, was referred to the Mission committee.

The unanimous call of the Kamloops congregation in favor of Rev. A. Lee, of Sherbrook, P.S., was sustained after hearing Mr. McCutcheon and Rev. D. Fraser in support thereof.

The Mission Committee reported in favor of the St. Andrew's Church memorial, and recommended that the necessary steps be taken to have a missionary appointed to fill the position. The report was adopted.

An application from the church of Wellington to be admitted from the Church of Scotland into the Presbytery of Columbia was received and referred to a committee to report at next meeting.

Rev. D. Fraser, convener of the Home Mission Committee, reported at length on the condition and requirements of the various missions, and the meeting adjourned until 2 o'clock.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The session was opened by prayer, and after business of a routine nature, Mr. Moss delivered an able address, which was well received.

It was agreed to recommend to the favorable consideration of the Board of the Church and Manse Building Fund the application from Victoria West for a loan of $600 towards church erection.

The appeal of J. N. Muir from the finding of the kirk session of St. Andrew's church, Victoria, was considered. After hearing Messrs. Muir, McLeod and Finlayson, it was after full discussion unanimously agreed that the appeal be dismissed and the action of the session sustained, in which decision Mr. Muir acquiesced.

Rev. Mr. Fraser, of the Home Mission Committee is making arrangements for securing the services of somone for Metchosin and Sooke districts during the next six months.

The deputation appointed to look into the affairs of the church at Wellington, Northfield and East Wellington, report that it is best to supply men who have taken religious orders.

Mr. Moss submitted his report on his doings at Mount Lehman and Aldergroue during the past summer. Dr. Robertson thought it would be advisable to appoint a missionary after the departure of Mr. Moss.

The Home Mission Committee asked that Mr. Ross be given an assistant for his work at Chilliwhack.

Mr. Macleod, for the Foreign Missions, reported that two missionaries were required, one for labor, in among the Chinese in connection with St. Andrew's church, Victoria, the other to work among the Indians at a place yet to be selected as being central.

Dr. Robertson addressed the meeting concerning his visit to the different places during his two weeks' stay on Vancouver Island New Westminster District, for which and many other things thanks were returned.

The following are the names of those who have been placed on the various standing committees of the Presbytery of B. C. for the ensuing year:

Home Missions—Revs. D. Fraser, P. McF. Macleod, D. McRae, T. Scouler, McLean and Mr. J. M. Browning, (elder).

Foreign Missions.—Revs. Macleod, Fraser, Scouler, J. K. Wright, McRae and Mr. D. Lyall (elder).

Finance.—Revs. T. Scoular, J. M. McLeod, and Mr. Thornton Fell (elder).

Colleges Committee—Revs. McRae, Dunn, Tait, Jaffrey, Mr. A. McDougal (elder).

Religious—Revs. Jaffrey, Scouler, Fraser, Langill, Mr. J. McKelvie (elder).

Sunday Schools—Revs. W. R. Ross, J. M. McLeod, T. J. Glassford, Mr. J. C. Brown (elder).

Sabbath Observances—Revs. Dunn, Fraser, Jamieson, Mr. A. Fortune (elder).

Temperance—Revs. J. K. Wright, Fraser, Langill, Hon. John Robson (elder).

Systematic Benefices — Revs. Tait, Glassford, Fraser, A. Shaw (elder).

After a prayer the session closed, to meet again in St. Andrew's church, Vancouver, on the second Tuesday in December, this year.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Through the Postoffice.

A few evenings ago a young man went to the postoffice at about 11 o'clock to see what mail his box contained. It did contain something, and his ambition rose when he saw a neat little parcel addressed in feminine handwriting to him. Several friends were with him, and with his usual generosity he said, "Well, boys, we'll have some wedding cake now," at the same time proceeding to open the box. A note was on top of the contents, but no, he must know what was inside first. It was a little dark, but a smell notified the recipient that something was "rotten in Galway," and true enough there was. The box contained Dutch wedding cake—Limburger cheese. Hereafter the young man wishes his lady friends to write on the outside what the inside contains.

A postoffice clerk is complaining of being under the weather to-day.

Thermometer at Cochrane & Munn's.

Temperature to-day, 77 deg.

Do you Eat?

For dinner to-day, or ice cream remember Steitz's, 48 Yates street. *

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Men's and boys suits, men's and boys pants, overcoats and reefer jackets, the largest stock and best value. Russell, McDonald & Co., 134 Douglas street.

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Beating In.

Two sealing schooners, supposed to be the Pathfinder and Marvin, were seen beating in just as the TIMES goes to press. They were too far out to be boarded, and on account of the lack of wind it may be some time before they get it.

The New Tannery.

The committee appointed by the B. C. Tannery Company, to select a site for their buildings, have decided on a place which they will submit to the shareholders at a meeting to be held on Monday night. The members will not make it public, although it is rumored that it will be built near the outer wharf.

Funeral.

The funeral of the late F.G.H.Wright was held on Thursday afternoon. The services at the First Presbyterian church were conducted by Rev. C. Watson, of Pandora street church, the pastor being absent at the meeting of the Presbytery. The pallbearers were: G. Walker, F. G. Richards, jr., Alex. Black, A. McCandlass, F. Brown and W. Anderson.

Interesting and Cheering.

The Missionary Outlook says: In a recent letter from the Rev. Jos. Hall, chairman of the Victoria District, British Columbia Conference, are the following words of encouragement: "No part of our work in British Columbia, whether among whites or Indians, is more successful than that among the Chinese. It is intensely interesting and cheering."

From Merry England.

Wm. Craft, dry goods dealer, Douglass street, returned on Wednesday evening from a trip to England. He reports having had a splendid trip, and looks much better after the long ocean voyage. The trip across the ocean and the continent was much enjoyed, although Mr. Craft is glad to be back in Victoria. Snow was falling at Banff when the train passed through. Asphaltum, Mr. Craft says, is being used extensively for roads in the Eastern cities, and is proving a great success.

Prepare for Cold Weather.

Cold weather is coming and warmer clothing is quite necessary to preserve health, therefore you should act wise and save a dollar or two by having your last fall's overcoats and suits cleaned and repaired or dyed. Ladies' spring jackets can be dyed and made to look respectable for fall and winter. Bring them now to the Victoria Tailoring and Dying establishment, and avoid disappointment. No. 96 Yates street.

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N.B.—Another shipment of English trousering to hand.

Annual Visit.

This morning the mayor, aldermen, employees of the water works, a couple of invited guests, and members of the press took hacks at the city hall and drove to Prospect Lake, from which place Victoria is supplied with water. The morning was a pleasant one and the drive out was enjoyed by all. The dam and other parts of the works were thoroughly examined by the aldermen, but as they have not yet given their opinion of the works, the TIMES will not put words in their mouths. Lunch was obtained out at the lake, and the return trip will be made in the cool of the evening. The aldermen also looked over the proposed route for a canal from Prospect Lake through Beaver Lake swamp to the dam.

Badly Burned.

A two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bevilockway, Nanaimo, says the Free Press, met with a serious accident while playing around a can of coal oil with a lighted match Thursday morning. It appears the mother had been filling a lamp with coal oil and before putting it away she was called to the door by a Chinaman peddling vegetables, and while attending to the call of the Chinaman she was startled by the piercing screams of the child. She immediately ran to its assistance and to her horror discovered her child enveloped in flames which was proceeding from the coal oil can. The clothing of the child was burned completely off its little body, and the child burned in a most shocking condition. The little fellow now lies in a precarious condition.

From Cowichan Lake.

A letter has been received in this city from Wm. Christie and party who left for Cowichan Lake last week on a hunting and fishing expedition. The writer says the party are having a skookum time and are shooting lots of cartridges. Fishing is good, but the witty don't bite. Deer are plentiful—back in Colorado, and bear are showing signs of looking for winter quarters in Central America. The writer had personally seen a trout, and he claims the honor of having spilt first blood, several grouse and ducks having been bagged by him. The only thing the party is kicking about is that the ale has given out and cool refreshing lake water is now the beverage used to dampen the party's parched lips. One of the hunters bears signs on his face of shoe nails, a friend having walked on his face during the night.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11:30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange. *

THE FIRE RECORD.

Another Attempt to Burn a Family in Their Beds—Jewish Cemetery on Fire.

The second dastardly attempt to fire [illegible] o'clock this morning. The family reside on Pandora street, above Vancouver street. At a late hour Mr. Carter retired and was awakened by his son who informed him that the house was burning. They opened the back door and found the flames issuing from beneath the house. Water was turned on at a small tap and the fire was extinguished without doing any damage. An investigation showed a heap of wrapping paper beneath the house, which was saturated with coal oil. Mr. Carter's son was ill during the night and was unable to sleep. Shortly before 2 o'clock he heard the fire crackling and saw smoke in the house. The former attempt to burn Mr. Carter's house took place on the morning of July 12th. The second attempt this morning was more deliberate and appeared to have been carefully planned. The house is insured in the B. C. company for $800.

At 1 o'clock this afternoon No. 3 hose reel was sent to the Jewish cemetry, on the Cedar Hill road, where a grass fire was creating much havoc amongst the fences around the cemetry and graves. The entire cemetry was burned over and several grave fences destroyed. The fire also burned the adjoining fields and fences. A force of men worked at the fire during the afternoon. During the warm weather it would be advisable for all persons to be very careful with matches and lights.

Arrived O. K.

A beautiful line of Razors, Strops and Shaving Materials can be seen at Fox's 78 Government street. Call and see the fine assortment of Pocket Knives and Scissors.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Mr. S. M. Robins, of the Vancouver Coal Co., is in the city.

Prof. Jas. Robinson, of the Dominion College of Agriculture, is expected to arrive by the Islander to-night.

Gordon E. Corbould, M. P., New Westminster, has gone to Ottawa to lobby in the interest of his constituents.

Thos. Earle, M.P., who with Mrs. Earle accompanied their son (who goes to Upper Canada College, Toronto), as far as Banff, returned last night.

R. S. Shaw, of the Pacific Express Company, Kansas City, was in the city yesterday, and left this morning for home. Mr. Shaw has been looking around with a view of locating, and goes away highly impressed with the great natural advantages of Victoria.

Baby Buggies, the finest and largest assortment in the city at low prices, from $9.50 up, at J. Sehl's 66 Government street.

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SEWERAGE PLANS.

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PROF. JAS. W. ROBINSON,

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

The Union Colliery Co., of British Columbia (Limited Liability.)

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the Stockholders will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 1st day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

12th September, 1890. se12-td

NOTICE.

Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF the shareholders will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday the 1st day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. Victoria 12th September 1890.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

IN THE MATTER OF C. L. TERRY.

A MEETING OF CREDITORS WILL BE held at the office of Dalby, Ballentyne and Claxton, 64 Yates street, Victoria, on the afternoon of Monday, 15th September, at 3 o'clock to receive report of the trustees and to decide as to the disposal of the estate.

A. C. FLUMMERFELT, } Trustees.
FRED. J. CLAXTON, }

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WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF OF the British Columbia Agricultural Association, by the undersigned, up to noon, Saturday, Sept. 20th, 1890, for the privilege of selling wines, liquors and cigars during the days of the exhibition. Tender to be marked "tender for bar." Also for the privilege of selling refreshments other than wines, liquor and cigars. Tender to be marked "tenders for refreshments." Also for supplying music during the days the exhibition is open to the public, that is, from Friday, Oct. 3 from noon up to 11 p.m. and on Saturday Oct. 4 from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. The Association will also need the services of about 15 men to act as gatekeepers, watchmen and to help to arrange and take care of exhibits. Applications will be received up to date above mentioned.

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